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# AMERICAN GOVERNMENT NOT ONLY WILL SPEAK BUT, IF NECESSARY, WILL ACT IN CAUSE OF HUMANITY

### President Intends to Leave No Doubt Abroad of This Country's Purpose.

### CABINET MEETS TODAY

### Wilson Determined to Maintain Firm Attitude Towards Germany and Mexico.

### BERNSTORFF TO CALL

### But His Interview Will be of No Avail, Unless He Can Add to the Note.

Washington, May 31. — President Wilson intends to shape the course of the United States in the international crisis which has arisen so as to leave no doubt abroad of the country's purpose not only to speak but, if necessary, to act, for the cause of humanity.

Two things were virtually determined by the President today:

First, that Germany's avoidance of the larger questions of humanity and the spirit of international law by a technical argument on a hitherto undisputed point in the statutes of nations—the exercise of the right of visit and search by war craft, when encountering merchant men, whether carrying contraband or not—must be met promptly with a note again setting forth briefly the facts as found by investigation of officials here as to the cargo and peaceful equipment of the Lusitania, and reiterating the earnest intention of the United States to hold the German government to a "strict accountability" for all violations of American rights on the high seas.

Second, that, notwithstanding the critical situation with Germany, there shall be issued tomorrow the statement which has been in preparation for several days to be communicated to the leaders of all factions in Mexico, serving notice that unless they, themselves, bring to an early end the deplorable conditions which their warfare has wrought, some other means will be found by the United States, in the interest of humanity, to save the millions of non-combatant Mexicans from the throes of starvation and further devastation of property.

**Bernstorff Wants Interview.**

Count Von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, has been granted an interview with the President for Wednesday noon, but unless he brings some proposal from his government answering the demands of the United States differently from the note just received from Dr. Von Jagow, the German foreign minister, a circumstance which is doubted in well informed quarters, the President's course as framed by him in consultation with his cabinet tomorrow, will not be materially affected.

Tomorrow the President will lay before the cabinet both the German and the Mexican questions. The effect of the warning to Mexico, the President hopes, will be the coalition within the next few weeks of the best elements in the Southern Republic to form a provisional government to which the United States and other countries can accord early recognition.

The tense situation produced by the receipt of an unyielding reply from Germany to the request of the United States for reparation for the 100 American lives lost in the sinking of the Lusitania and guarantees against the destruction of American lives or property in the future overshadowed the Mexican problem as well as all other governmental activities today.

**Burden on Wilson Alone.**

The President—upon whom rests the burden of deciding the government's foreign policy in the absence of Congress—sought solitude during the early hours of the day. He read the newspaper text of the note, the editorial comments, scores of messages, and went motoring—his favorite diversion when desirous of undisturbed application to problems of state.

The official text of the communication, differing only in phraseology from the press translations, reached the White House just before noon as the President started for Arlington cemetery to attend the memorial exercises of the G. A. R. and the dedication of the Maine Memorial.

The President's speech at Arlington, drawing attention to the desire of those in office, guiding the destinies of the United States, to embody, in their acts the expression of "the untrammeled opinion" of the people of America, was interpreted by many of his hearers as meaning that Mr. Wilson was anxious that his course in the international situation be guided by the real wishes of all Americans.

**Sketches Notes at Cemetery.**

While at the cemetery Mr. Wilson sketched some shorthand notes on his programme, suggestions, it was believed, which occurred to him for the forthcoming note to Germany. On returning from Arlington, he remained in his study for two hours reading the official text of the German note. He dined with the statement that an official Wilson, and his cousin, Miss Helen Woodrow Bones. After a short ride tonight he returned to his work, mapping plans for the all-important cabinet meeting tomorrow.

Just what the President will propose to his cabinet tomorrow was a matter of wide conjecture tonight. There was a noticeable confidence, however, that Germany having failed to yield in principle or fact to the American point of view, the President would suggest a course following logically the strong expressions in the note of May 13.

Some of those familiar with the position of high officials said the note to be sent by the United States probably would be very brief and would be dispatched before the end of the week.

The German government's request for an agreement on the facts—as to whether the Lusitania was armed or unarmed and whether the vessel's owners violated American law by taking passengers on ships carrying munitions of war—it was said, would be answered with the statements that an official investigation showed the ship carried no guns and that it is not a violation of Federal statutes to carry small arms and ammunition on passenger ships. Reiterating that the Lusitania, therefore, was a peaceful merchantman entitled to the right of visit and search and the transfer of her passengers and crew to places of safety previous to any attempt to destroy any contraband of war aboard her, it is believed the United States will insist upon a disavowal of such acts and a guarantee that German submarine warfare will be conducted in the future along humane lines, assuring Americans of the safety of their lives and their ships on the high seas.

**No Protraction of Argument.**

Proposals on the part of Germany to protract the argument with affidavits, alleged to be in the possession of the German embassy here, to prove that the Lusitania carried guns will not be considered, in view of official knowledge here that the ship was unarmed. Moreover, the government is expected to point that during the present discussion the American steamer Nebraskan has been torpedoed by a German submarine.

The admission of the German admiralty, announced today, in a report from Ambassador Gerard that the commander of the submarine which torpedoed the Gulflight did "not notice the American flag" on the Gulflight until after he had fired the torpedo is another circumstance which, it is thought probable the United States will point to as proof of dangers to which American vessels are subjected by the reckless methods of German submarine commanders.

**That Conference.**

The conference between the President and Count Bernstorff Wednesday was the subject of much comment tonight. The ambassador himself would not say what his purpose was, but from well-informed sources it was learned that he asked for the interview of his own initiative without instructions from his government, and that he wishes to impress the President with his desire to do everything possible to avoid a rupture. The ambassador has had much difficulty in communicating with his foreign office, as the cables are in possession of the Allies. Some of his friends state that his efforts to induce the German government to send a conciliatory answer to the American note failed largely on that account.

There was a distinct disappointment manifest at both the Austrian and German embassies here at the character of the German reply. Both ambassadors were understood to have endeavored to obtain a response that would satisfy the United States. There was some intimation that the American note of May 13 might have been interpreted in Berlin as meaning a demand for the cessation of all submarine war-

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## EDITORIAL COMMENT BY LEADING AMERICAN PAPERS ON GERMAN NOTE

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**New York Times:** The German reply is not responsive to our demand. It does not promote that "clear and full understanding" as to a grave situation which President Wilson in his note declared to be desirable. * * * The manner in which Berlin receives our representations in regard to the sinking of the Lusitania cannot fail to create a most disagreeable impression in this country, which the note's outward form of courtesy will not remove.

**New York World:** The German note * * * does not meet the issue. It is worse than evasive. It is insincere, even petty-fogging. Regret will be felt everywhere in the United States that the affairs of the great people desirous of friendly relations have fallen in the hands of men capable of such desperate trifling.

**New York Tribune:** Germany's answer to our government's protest against the slaughter of its citizens, peacefully and lawfully going about their business on the high seas, will not satisfy American opinion. Courteous on the surface as Herr Von Jagow's communication is, it does not strike the note which the people of this country hoped that it would strike.

**New York Press:** Berlin's answer to President Wilson's note is friendly, gracious and—unsatisfactory. * * * The point as made unmistakable in Mr. Wilson's note is that the Von Tirpitz admiralty must stop slaughtering American citizens, whether in the case of a Gulflight or a Lusitania, whether by paces or by scores. The Berlin foreign office speaks of a probable misapprehension on the part of our government as to the real character of the Lusitania. There is none; there could be none.

**New York Herald:** Germany has ignored the real issue presented by the American note of May 13. As was clearly set forth in that historic document, the attitude of the United States is not based upon any one of the series of events cited, but upon the principle involved in the method of warfare in which they were incidents. The United States stands today the champion of neutral rights, and non-combatant humanity. In the case of Germany versus Civilization the United States holds a brief for civilization—and will to the end. Germany must respect the rights of non-combatants traveling upon the high seas.

**New Yorker (N. Y.) Herald:** The reply of the German government shows conclusively that Germany is most anxious to live at peace with America. That she desires to be shown where she is in the wrong, is but natural, and we think fair minded men will concede that with the vessel being carried on the navy list as an auxiliary cruiser the presumption is strong that German submarine officers thought her armed and ready to offer resistance.

**Philadelphia Inquirer:** The reply is temporizing in nature. * * * Germany is trifling with the United States. * * * The real test of the statesmanship and the backbone, also, let it be said, of President Wilson, is about to be made.

**Philadelphia Public Ledger:** The reply is in effect, a plea of confession and avoidance. * * * Vague regrets that leave the main question untouched, attempts to put the blame elsewhere, apologies that reveal a wilful misconception of the enormity of the offense, are little better than insults to the National honor.

**Washington Post:** Germany's failure to measure the depth of American feeling in the Lusitania case will cause [illegible] disappointment and uneasiness in the United States.

**[illegible] Herald:** The sooner the President makes clear that we have no time to waste in the ascertainment of what our rights are the better it will be all around.

**Boston Globe:** The path of wisdom for the American people at this moment is the path of suspended judgment.

**Boston Advertiser:** The note is a deliberate and amazing insult. Through the mixture of quibbles, evasions and untruths, however, there runs this plain language: For the slaughter of the helpless men, women and children Germany will offer no reparation whatever.

**Pittsburg Dispatch:** The points raised may seem trifling compared to the main issue set forth in the President's note, but can we as consistent advocates of the arbitration of international questions deny the further consideration which Germany asks?

**Baltimore Sun:** Germany's reply * * * is, so far as the main issues are concerned, no answer at all.

**Baltimore American:** The German note is but a reiteration of propositions concerning which the American attitude has been stated definitely and with a finality of conclusion from which there is no retreating.

**Chicago Tribune:** Even though, as Washington is confident, it can be shown that the Lusitania was not armed with means of conveying soldiers, Germany has succeeded in raising points which in consideration of the very advanced position taken by our government with respect to arbitration we should find some embarrassment in refusing to discuss and perhaps referring to The Hague.

**Chicago Herald:** The American people regret that the German government's answer falls wholly to meet the main points at issue.

**Indianapolis Star:** Level headed Americans will await the progress of events with calmness. If Germany has any facts or information to justify its assumption that the Lusitania was armed or carried explosives it should be permitted to offer them.

**Columbus (O.) Dispatch:** The Germany reply is disappointing. Beneath courteous phrase there is clearly manifest a spirit of Deutschland ueber alles.

**Cincinnati Freie Presse:** The German note is courteous in tone and the hand is out for a settlement of differences. The note does not say that the American position is untenable. It merely demands that the facts in the case be first established. It takes the good old American view that the complainant must bring forth the evidence of the guilt of the accused.

**Fresno (Cal.) Republican:** Germany's reply to President Wilson's note is most oriental in its skilful procrastination. It is now for President Wilson to insist on a definite answer.

**St. Louis Globe-Democrat:** No more unyielding a reply could have been written, with proper regard for diplomatic amenities. That the answer will not be satisfactory to the United States goes without saying.

**Chicago Journal:** The claim that the Lusitania was an armed vessel is an unmistaken insult to the United States, which cleared the ship as a merchantman, but the request for an investigation of circumstances already known to the civilized world is as shifty as it is insolent.

**Indianapolis (Ind.) Daily Telegraph**

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# GREAT BATTLE ON SAN STILL RAGES

### And the Fate of Przemysl is Still Uncertain.

### FIGHTING CONTINUES

**Russians Claim Victories Virtually Along Entire Front—Little Doing in West—Italians Active in Retaliation.**

London, May 31.—The great battle on the San, to which the Russians fell back after retreating over half of Galicia, still rages, but the Russians assert that they have assumed the offensive. London takes this statement to mean that another mighty German effort has expended itself.

Though the fate of Przemysl is still uncertain allied circles contend that the Austrian-Germans have failed to crush the Russians in Galicia and that their rush forward, costing thousands of lives, has fallen short, just as did the repeated thrusts at Warsaw and Calais.

The Austrian official statement tonight claims no noteworthy advances in the East, dismissing the Przemysl region with the brief declaration that "the fighting continues," and asserting that there have been no serious engagements elsewhere on the eastern front.

The Russians claim victories virtually along the entire front, especially beyond the Dneister where they say they have taken 7,000 prisoners.

In the west neither side has done much of late, although the French continue gnawing around Arras and there has been hard fighting along the Yser.

Italy has retaliated for the Austrian air and naval base, from a dirigible, while Italian destroyers have made a dash on Monfalcone doing considerable damage to Austrian shipping and getting away unscathed.

German submarines have been active, the news tonight adding one more neutral vessel to the growing list of victims. This was the Danish steamer Soborg, sunk 40 miles northeast of the Tyne. All hands were rescued.

The English press is following the German and American exchanges on the Lusitania tragedy with the keenest interest and there is much speculation as to the probable American action.

**ZEPPELINS ARE SEEN**

**In Several Parts of England on Sunday Night, Says Press Bureau.**

London, June 1.—The official press bureau issued the following announcement last night:

"Zeppelins are reported to have been seen near Ramsgate (on the Kentish coast, 67 miles east-southeast of London) and Brentwood (17 miles east-northeast of London) and in certain outlying districts of London. Many fires are reported, but these cannot be absolutely connected with the airship visits.

"Further particulars will be issued as soon as they can be collected and collated."

# SUBMARINES DOING ACTIVE BUSINESS

### Great Britain Has Lost 130 Merchant Ships Thus Far.

### AND 83 FISHING CRAFT

**Many of These Destroyed by Mines Since War Began—British Divianna Torpedoed Saturday—Danish Soborg Sunk.**

London, May 31.—An admiralty statement, giving the number of British merchant and fishing vessels sunk or captured since the beginning of the war, shows that 56 merchant ships have been sent to the bottom by cruisers of the enemy, twelve by mines and 62 by submarines, a total of 130.

Eighty-three fishing craft have been lost and of these twenty-four were sunk by mines. Since German submarines began their attack on merchant shipping January 27th the merchant vessels sunk by them number 59 and the fishing craft 31.

Looking at these losses from the standpoint of tonnage it is seen that since the war began Great Britain has lost 458,006 tons in merchant shipping and 13,586 tons in fishing craft.

**STEAMER DIXIANNA TORPEDOED.**

**British Steamer From Savannah Sunk Saturday Off Ushant.**

London, May 31.—The British steamer Dixianna was torpedoed off Ushant Saturday last, while on her way from Savannah, Ga., to Swansea, Wales. The captain and crew have been safely landed at Cardiff.

According to the skipper of the Dixianna, the submarine which sank his vessel had sails hoisted when first observed. He was led by this disguise to mistake her for a harmless sailing craft. This is the first time the use of device by a Germa submarine has been reported.

The Dixianna formerly was the British steamer Putney Bridge, her name being changed when she was purchased recently by the Dixianna Steamship

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# JUDGE ROAN WOULD HAVE SAVED FRANK FROM THE GALLOWS

### Promised at Proper Time to Ask Governor to Commute the Sentence.

### DOUBTED HIS GUILT

### Prison Commission Hears the Statement of Mrs. Frank and Completes Hearing.

Atlanta, May 31.—The hearing on Leo M. Frank's application for commutation of sentence from death to life imprisonment, which began before the State prison commission here this morning, was completed late today. It is expected that the commission'a recommendation to the governor will be transmitted by the last of this wee, or within ten days at the latest, and the governor then will take final action in the case. No one appeared to argue in opposition to Frank's application.

The principal features of today's proceedings were a letter written a few months before his death by Judge L. S. Roan, who presided at Frank's trial, in which he sought clemency for the prisoner, and a statement by Mrs. Frank describing her husband's actions on the night following Mary Phagan's murder and denying rumors of an estrangement between herself and Frank.

Judge Roan's letter was addressed to the chief counsel for Frank in his trial. It stated that at the proper time he would ask the governor to commute Frank's sentence to life imprisonment; that after many months of deliberation he still was uncertain of the prisoner's guilt and that "it is possible I showed undue deference to the opinion of the jury when I allowed their verdict to stand."

The production of Judge Roan's letter, Frank's counsel stated, obviated the necessity of extended argument and permitted a quicker termination of the hearing.

Frank did not attend the proceedings but his wife was present throughout the sessions. There were only about a dozen women present among the spectators who crowded the chamber.

Former Congressman W. M. Howard, who conducted Frank's case before the commission, submitted a mass of court records, petitions from legislatures and societies and letters from prominent lawyers and jurists and individuals.

**Remarkable Array of Appeals.**

His oral argument was brief. At the early session a number of well known Georgia lawyers and jurists made oral pleas in behalf of Frank and at the concluding session arguments were presented by former Governor Eugene N. Foss, of Massachusetts, representing citizens of that State; John M. O'Connor, chief justice of the criminal court of Cook county, Illinois, representing the Chicago Frank committee; Mrs. Mary Delaney Fisher, of Chicago, representing 200,000 women from all over the country, whose petition she presented; Dr. J. W. Coughlin, of Boston, and others.

Mr. Howard, during his argument for Frank, offered in evidence an analysis of the court record regarding the "murder notes" found beside Mary Phagan's body and which played an important part in the trial. This analysis, Mr. Howard declared, was intended to show that James Conley, who is serving a prison sentence as accessory after the murder, conceived and wrote the notes; that they were written in his style of expression and language; that they had to be written immediately after the crime and that Frank would not have had time to learn Conley's mode of expression and simulate it if he had dictated the notes as Conley testified.

"The purpose of our argument," said Mr. Howard, "would be to show that

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# PRESIDENT WILSON AND CABINET MEMBERS PAY TRIBUTE TO OUR DEAD

## RICHMOND CROWDED BY HEROES IN GRAY

### Everywhere the Veterans Talk of the War Abroad.

### SPECIAL TRAINS MANY

**Four Southern Hosts Into Old Capital of the Confederacy — Regular Sessions of Reunion Begin There Today.**

Richmond, Va., May 31. — Richmond tonight, on the eve of the 25th annual reunion of the United Confederate Veterans, was thronged with survivors of the armies of the South. Assembled around peaceful camp fires, they paid silent tribute to their departed heroes, contrasting their contentment with the turbulent camps and seething trenches of Europe.

When darkness fell, after a day of memorial to their comrades who have gone, thousands who wore the gray gathered at Camp Henry Carter Stuart, where the simulation of war made vivid their raillization of the grim realities across the sea.

Everywhere the veterans, who cherish the peace at home, talked of the war abroad.

On scores of special trains, the Southern hosts poured into Richmond throughout the day, and tonight the old capital of the Confederacy was ablaze with light and her streets were thronged with cheering veterans and reverent youths.

**Preliminary Events.**

Preliminary events were the memorial exercises for the Confederate dead, the dedication of a memorial to the Confederate women of Virginia, and the arrival of General George P. Harrison, of Alabama, who has been designated commander in chief of the reunion by General Bennett H. Young, who is detained in Cleveland, Ohio, by illness.

Following the regular memorial exercises, in which hundreds of Confederate veterans from all regions of the South participated, impressive ceremonies attended the unveiling of the bronze tablet to Virginia's Confederate women in Hollywood cemetery. The tablet, dedicated with an address by Judge George L. Christian and unveiled by J. Taylor Ellyson Crump, bore the following inscription:

"A Memorial to the Confederate Women of Virginia, 1861-1865. The Legislature of Virginia of 1914 has, at the Solicitation of Ladies' Hollywood Memoral Association and United Daughters of Confederacy of Virginia, Placed in Perpetual Care This Section, Where Lie Buried Eighteen Thousand Confederate Soldiers."

Another event of the day was the unveiling in the Louisiana room of the Confederate Museum of a bust of General P. G. T. Beauregard, the gift of the Junior Confederate Memorial Association of New Orleans.

After the presentation, the bust, which was of bronzed plaster, was accidentally overturned and shattered, but assurances were given by its donors that it would be replaced.

Tomorrow, the reunion will be in full swing, Governor H. C. Stuart, of Virginia, welcoming the visitors at the opening session.

### Throngs at Arlington Cemetery Think of Present International Situation.

### OVATION GIVEN WILSON

### "Greater Days Lie Before This Nation Than it Ever Yet Has Seen."

### Secretary Daniels Raises a Tribute to "Sacrifice."

Washington, May 31.—Eulogies of America's soldier and sailor dead were voiced here today by President Wilson, Secretary Bryan, Secretary Daniels and Governor Willis, of Ohio, at Memorial Day exercises at Arlington National cemetery. Large crowds seized on every opportunity to show that the present international situation was uppermost in their minds.

President Wilson, cheered on his arrival and departure and during his address, carefully avoided any direct reference to problems facing the United States. He was enthusiastically applauded when he declared that "greater days lie before this nation than it ever yet has seen, and the solemn consciousness of those who bear office in this time is that they must make their best endeavor to embody in what they do and say the best things in the United States.

Governor Willis evoked applause when he said: "The President of the United States is making a successful effort to keep us out of the broils of Europe," and added, "Now is the time to keep cool, think carefully and stand by the President. He and his cabinet know vastly more of our delicate relations with European belligerents than the rest of us can possibly know; let us hold up his hand in the patriotic effort he is making in this crisis."

The President sat in the midst of veterans of two wars during the exercises, and uttered an audible "amen" at the conclusion of an invocation by Bishop Earl Cranston, of Washington, who prayed that the United States might be led aright in the present crisis.

**The President Speaks.**

"I have not come here today to deliver an address, but merely reverently to take part in expressing the sentiment of this impressive day," said the President in his address.

"It is necessarily a day of reminiscences. Reminiscence is not always a profitable exercise. It generally belongs to those, appropriately to those only, who have left the active stage of life and have nothing to think about except the things that are gone and dead. It does not behoove a nation to walk with its eyes over its shoulder. Its business is constantly in the years that lie ahead of it, and in the present what challenges it to the display of its power. But there are reminiscences which are stimulating and wholesome, and among those reminiscences are chiefly to be ranked the recollections of days of heroism, days when great nations found it possible to express the best that was in them by the ardent exercise of every power that was in them.

"That is what gives dignity to a day like this. It is not a day of regret, it is not a day of weakening memory. It is a day of stimulation. But, my friends, these stimulating memories we are sometimes apt to minimize because we do not see the full significance of them. We are constnatly speaking of the great war of which we think today as a war which saved the Union, and it did indeed save the Union, but it was a war that did a great deal more than that. It created in this country what had never existed before—a national consciousness.

**"Realized Its Unity."**

"It was the time when America for the first time realized its unity and saw the vision of its united destiny.

"The solemn lesson of these memories for us is not that we must be ready to save the Union again, for there are none among us who threaten its life, but that we must see to it that the unity then realized, the vision then seen, is exemplified in us and the things that we do. Because there is no stimulation in any occasion if it be merely the pleasure of recollection; it must also be the ardor and courage of hope. Greater days lie before this nation than it has ever seen yet; and the solemn consciousness of those who bear office in this time is that they must make their best endeavor to embody in what the ydo and say the best things in the United States.

"It does not do to talk too much about one's self, and I do not think that it is wholesome for the United States to talk too much about itself. I do not want to know what you are today so much as I want to know what you are going to do tomorrow. The only test I know of that is competent to determine what you are is the test what you do. Let us not think of our characters, let us think of our duties and of the actions that lie before us. I have always maintained that the man who lives to cultivate his own character will result only in cultivating an intolerable prig; because his object will be himself. Character, my friends, is a by-product. It is produced in the great manufacture of daily duty. But duty is not easy to determine. Duty for a nation is made up of so many complicated elements that no man can determine it. No group of men without wide common counsel can possibly determine what the duty of the day is.

"That is the strength of a democracy,

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# GULFLIGHT TORPEDOED BY MISTAKE GERMANY CLAIMS

### Submarine Commander Reports That He Failed to Notice American Flag

Washington, May 31. — Ambassador Gerard, at Berlin, has been formally notified that the American steamer Gulflight was torpedoed through a mistake. The German submarine commander reported that he failed to notice the Gulflight's American flag, and took her for a British vessel.

The State Department's announcement today says:

"The American ambassador at Berlin reports that the chief of the admiralty staff, Admiral Bennke, has informed him that the commander of the submarine which sank the Gulflight did so through mistake, because two boats similar to trawlers, one carrying wireless apparatus, were apparently convoying the Gulflight. The commander, therefore, thought it a British boat, and did not notice the American flag on the stern until just after giving the order to fire."

The Gulflight was attacked in the English channel on May 1, while carrying oil from Port Arthur, Texas, to Rouen, France. Two members of the crew were drowned while taking to the boats, and the captain died from heart failure brought on by his experience. The steamer's bulkheads prevented her from sinking, and she was towed to Crow Sound and beached for repairs.

**CHAMP CLARK OPTIMISTIC.**

**Thinks United States Will "Get By" Ugly and Aggravating Situation.**

Kansas City, May 31. — Champ Clark here tonight was optimistic concerning the outcome of the international situation due to the arrival of the latest German note.

"It is an ugly and aggravating situation, but hitherto we have managed by the use of diplomacy and good sense to pull out of situations as ugly and aggravating as the present one, and without the loss of honor and prestige and without the horros of war," said Mr. Clark. "I most sincerely hope that our troubles growing out of the trans-Atlantic war will be amicably settled, and I believe they will be."

London, May 31.—Heavy fighting on Gallipoli peninsula, resulting in the rout of the attacking Turkish force, is announced in an official statement given out here today. The casualties of the Turks are said to have amounted to at least 2,000. The British losses are given as 300.

# MUCH INTEREST IN COURT AT BURGAW

## Walker Trial Set For Wednesday Afternoon at 2 O'Clock

## HAND TRIAL FOLLOWS

**Trial of Negroes for Capital Offense Today—Docket Contains 110 Cases —Judge Rountree's Charge Vigorous.**

(By J. BLANDING HAMAN.)

Burgaw, N. C., May 31.—With 110 cases on docket, ranging from murder in the first degree to petty larceny, the spring term of Superior court for Pender county opened here at 10 o'clock this morning with Judge George Rountree presiding. The case of chief interest to be tried is that of Jesse C. Walker, on a change of venue from Brunswick county, charged with the murder of Sheriff Jackson Stanland, of that county, in 1908.

Another case of deep interest that is to be tried during this term of court is that of Mrs. Gussie Hand, charged with the murder of her own brother whom she alleges attacked her, giving this as her reason for firing the fatal shot, self-defense being the grounds of her defense. The Walker trial is set for 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon and a special venire of 200 men have been summoned to serve in the case. Mrs. Hand's trial will follow immediately after if there is time for hearing the case.

Judge Rountree in his characteristic way charged the grand jury in a most forceful manner, especially emphasizing conditions prevailing in this county as a result of the recently adopted stock law and promising the grand jury in no uncertain terms that he would see that the law was enforced even if he had to issue bench warrants to secure the proper respect for the law.

Charged with assault with a deadly weapon upon Mr. Z. B. Barnes, at the plant of the Buell-Crocker Lumber Company's plant, at Bannerman's Bridge, as a result of which Mr. Barnes is now in a Richmond hospital with little chance of recovery, Clarence Davis, a negro, was sentenced to five years in confinement. Davis pleaded guilty to the charge.

Statements made to the court tended to show that Mr. Barnes, in authority at the mill, had discharged the negro who left the mill to return later during the night shift and resume work. Mr. Barnes attempted to force the black to leave the premises and it was then that Davis shot him, inflicting two wounds, one in the back of the neck and the other through his wrist. The negro escaped with a large posse close at his heels and for a while it was feared that a lynching would result. The sentence is conditional, Judge Rountree stating that should Mr. Barnes' wound prove fatal the negro would be indicted for murder.

The wound in the back of the neck affected Mr. Barnes' nerve system and an exceedingly difficult operation must be performed, the outcome of which is very doubtful. Mr. Barnes has not regained consciousness since he fell at the mill. The negro Davis will serve his time on the roads of Sampson county.

**Judge Rountree's Charge.**

Characterizing charges to the effect that the laws of North Carolina were unbalanced and only partially enforced as gross slanders against the judiciary and the people of North Carolina, Judge Rountree in his charge to the jury referred in a direct manner to a political announcement of an aspirant for one of the highest State offices which he alleged cast a reflection upon the laws of the State, the judiciary and the civil authorities.

In his introductory remarks Judge Rountree spoke at length upon the great advancement North Carolina has made in every direction and attributed it to the extensive improvements of the State's school system and the increasing number of excellent weekly newspapers. He reviewed conditions as they existed from the seaboard counties to those of the mountain districts and expressed gratification that Pender was in the foremost ranks.

Judge Rountree stressed the fact that "regulated liberty" was what made the community, stating that every citizen had to give up something to help establish peace and harmony in the community. He declared the best way to get rid of a bad law was to enforce it strictly, that laws were made to protect and not as a burden to a community and that the laws of North Carolina as applying to Pender county must be obeyed.

Taking up the conditions existing in this county over the stock law, Judge Rountree stressed the fact that the majority rule in this country and stated that the stock law was made by those constitutionally authorized to pass laws and must be enforced. He declared that personally he had no opinion in the matter and had not considered either side of the question.

In sentencing several influential citizens who submitted to charges of violating the stock law and gave as their reasons that all in their community had agreed to let the stock run at large, the Judge cautioned them against listening to advice which prompts the violation of the law even should everyone be opposed to its enforcement. Community agreements to tolerate such is no authority in the eyes of the law and those violating it must be held responsible. He imposed a fine of a penny and the costs.

The trial of Jesse Walker is set for 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon and a special venire of 200 men has been summoned to serve in the case. William J. Bellamy, Esq., of the Wilmington bar, and Irvin B. Tucker, Esq., of Whiteville, counsel for the defense, being absent, drawing of the special venire was delayed until after the noon recess. Counsel still being absent when court convened after noon and the Judge having taken part in a long distance display of sarcasm with one of those gentlemen, using the Morse code in doing so, Attorneys D. H. Bland, of Goldsboro, and E. L. Larkins, of Burgaw, were named by the bench to act in their stead and to see that the defendant got justice in the drawing of the jury and the other technical matters preliminary to the hearing of the case on Wednesday.

**The Hand Case.**

The case of Mrs. Gussie Hand, which has attracted wide attention because of the fact that she is charged with the murder of her own brother, whom she claims to have killed in self-defense, and that she gave birth to a child while held in charge of the authorities of the law awaiting habeas corpus proceedings in the case, is to come up immediately after the Walker trial.

Other cases of interest to be tried at this term of court are to come up prior to the Walker trial, the most prominent of which probably is one in which two negroes are alleged to have entered the home of a white citizen of Burgaw in the dead of night and attempted criminal assault upon his 14-year-old daughter. Prevention of the scheme being carried out is said to be due wholly to the fact that the child awakened.

Chief interest in this term of court, however, is centered in the Walker trial. The defendant is charged with the murder of Sheriff Jackson Stanland, of Brunswick county, in November of 1908, a few months after which he escaped from the jail at Southport, after overpowering the jailor and relieving him of his gun, ammunition and handcuffs. Leading a large posse in a man hunt that covered several counties, he finally eluded them and until early in March of this year he was at large, so far as this State was concerned, with a reward of nearly $1,000 on his head, and outlawed. He was captured in Wilmington on the 7th of March.

Walker is alleged to be wanted in several other States for crimes of different natures and it is said that should he come free in the trial here he will be arrested on a warrant from Oklahoma, where it is understood he is wanted for an offense, for which, if convicted, means a score or more of years in the penitentiary.

Walker is not the kind of a man that is generally sized up as "bad" but rather has an intelligent face and, except for the fact that he was handcuffed, could not have been distinguished from others who crowded up close around the bar at the first session of court today.

**ANNUAL OLD DOMINION TENNIS TOURNAMENT NOW UNDER WAY.**

**Many Players of Note Are Entered—Weather Ideal.**

Richmond, Va., May 31.—The 11th annual Old Dominion Tennis Tournament got under way today on the courts of the country club of Virginia, with ideal weather conditions. Many players of note are entered. The first round in singles was disposed of today and the second round begun and probably will be played off tomorrow when the doubles will start. Miss Molla Bjurstedt, Norwegian champion, defaulted her match because of a recent injury.

Theodore Roosevelt Pell, of New York, will be heer on Thursday and will play the winner of the singles. Mr. Pell already has won two legs on the Hermitage cup. He will be seen in the doubles with C. M. Bull, of New York.

The star performances of today were those of Paul Treanor, of Philadlephia, and George Zinn, of Atlanta, in the second round, and F. C. Inman, of New York, and W. M. Harrity, of Philadelphia. The former match was hotly contested, Zinn losing the first set 7-5, and taking the second 6-2. He was unable to stand the pace, however, in the third set and Treanor captured it 6-2. The match between Inman and Harrity, while more one-sided, was a pretty exhibition, Inman winning two straight sets. Another good match was played between C. Y. Smith, of Atlanta, the Southern champion, and W. N. Page, of Winchester, Va., the former winning in two straight sets.

The women's singles developed some pretty matches, particularly the opening round between Miss Elizabeth Moore, of New York, and Miss Luch Chillingworth, of Richmond, the former winning. In the second round the feature match was played between Miss Florence Balling, of New York, and Miss F. P. Walker, of Birmingham, Ala., the former taking both sets.

Andersonville, Ga., May 31. — A tablet in honor of Clara Barton, founder of the American Red Cross, was unveiled at Memirial day exercises at the national cemetery here today. Washington Gardner, of Michigan, past commander in chief Grand Army of the Republic, and others, delivered addresses. Small American flags were placed over the graves of 13,722 union soldiers.

**ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.**

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Catherine A. Monroe, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned on or before the first day of June, 1916, or this notice will be plead in bar of recovery, and all persons indebeted to said estate will make immediate payment.

Dated and published this first day of June, 1915.

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# ABERNETHY ASKS THAT RECORD BE EXPUNGED

## After Baugham Case Had Been Thrown Out of Court.

**Solicitor's Motion Continued Until Thursday by Judge Connor—Prosecution in Baugham Case Withdrawn—Killing Accidental.**

(Special Star Telegram.)

Newbern, N. C., May 31.—The opening scene of the last act of the famous Judge Frank Carter-Solicitor Charles L. Abernethy contempt case occurred here today when, after the case of State vs. James Baugham, a young white man of Washington, charged with manslaughter, had been thrown out of court by Judge George W. Connor on account of the fact that the "slaughter" was purely an accident. Solicitor Abernethy entered a motion through his counsel for the expunging of the records made on the Superior court records by Judge Carter and which reflect upon his official and personal character.

Judge Connor did not take action just at this time, but announced that he would act on it Thursday. The general opinion is that the records will be stricken off.

James Baugham, it will be remembered, in company with several friends, was the driver of the automobile which it was claimed caused the death of James Ringold, near this city, a few months ago and who later, at the suggestion of the dead man's son was arrested and charged with manslaughter. The case was continued several times and it was this which caused Judge Carter to "go up in the air" when he came here to hold court.

Today Ringold sent a note to the solicitor stating that he felt that the affair was an accident and wished to withdraw his prosecution. R. A. Nunn, counsel for the prosecution, also withdrew from the case, but the solicitor went ahead and did his part of the work. However, Judge Conner held that there was not enough evidence to send it to the jury.

**COMMENCEMENT WEEK AT THE UNIVERSITY OF N. CAROLINA**

**Exercises Began Sunday, and Will Continue Several Days.**

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Chapel Hill, N. C., May 31. — This is commencement week at the University of North Carolina, and the village and college community are crowded with visitors.

"The Spiritual Man" was the subject of the baccalaureate sermon by Rev. W. D. Moss, delivered Sunday. He said in part:

"A man is a spiritual being living in a physical body, in a physical world. That is Jesus Christ's doctrine of a man; and in the Christian doctrine a religious man who realises his physical-spiritual pedigree is a citizen of both the world of senses and of the spirit. Man and God, God and man. There is the combination; and the history of man is the record of how this strange, wondrous union has been realised. That union has never been realised but once. The blessed story of the Incarnation is our sacred heritage forever.

"And the message runs that we are to live and say live as He lived in the world. 'I and the Father are one.' 'He that seeth me has seen the Father.' That is his programme for himself and that is his programme for his followers. Now, when we become conscious of that, when we realize that our life is one part physical and one part spiritual; when we realise that our life is a physical-spiritual thing and begin to take up our citizenship in the spiritual as we have already done in the physical—that is religion and that is the Christian religion. In this sense religion is not something tacked to a man. It is a man's true normal life. It is like the wind. The wind is a normal functioning of nature; and the spiritual is the normal functioning of a man. Sin is the abnormal thing. Sin is suicide. Religion is as normal as the air.

Does an educated man need religion? Does a hen need feathers? "Resolved, that hens should not have feathers." That would be a strange resolution coming from a poultry organization.

"It is all very mysterious—this spiritual life. But the wind is mysterious and yet it is a fact. Nature is a mystery. We understand her ways, we have tabulated her laws. But how mysterious! We know nothing—ultimately not even the wind. And, surely if such a common thing as the wind holds a secret and we accept it as a fact we should not ask of the spiritual that which we do not demand of the physical.

"But the spiritual—when we have it, what is it? What is that kind of a man whom we call the spiritual man? Our Lord describes him in the little parable of the wind: 'The wind bloweth where it listeth.' It is a fine thing, a universal thing. It has no sectional prejudices. Spirit is such. The timeless being in whom we live and move and have our being roams at will every where. God has no boundaries. Spirit is universal, and we all as spiritual beings must illustrate this universal nature of spirit in our lives. The spiritual man is a man who circulates freely in the world. He can be an American citizen and yet wish that neighboring States may work out their destinies in keen rivalry with the United States. President Wilson illustrated in his speech before the Pan-American conference this spiritual type of man which we have in our civic life of today.

"The spiritual man can be a North Carolinian, true to his State and yet a citizen of the Commonwealth. He will never drink to the toast: 'My State, may she ever be right; but right or wrong, my State.' We will stand up by his State only when she is right; he will work for fair play to her citizens and pray for her not that she may have a place apart in the sun, but that she may function as a member in the body politic.

The spiritual man can be a religious man and yet a man of the world. He can do business but do so in the practice of the sermon on the mount. He can be a scientist and big enough to associate himself with the organized life of religion. He can be a devout church member and yet not afraid to think. He can be an individual in his community, respected, beloved and at the same time the close sympathetic friend of the lame and halt and blind of the world of consciousness, always a helper and never a discourager; a cooster and not a knocker; a constructive power in his time and place."

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# Ex-Governor to Wed Durham Girl Today

**FORMER GOVERNOR OF WISCONSIN AND MISS MASON SPRING SURPRISE ON FRIENDS—INTERESTING ROMANCE.**

(Special Star Telegram.)

Newbern, N. C., May 31.—A marriage of more than passing interest will take place at Beaufort tomorrow morning, when William H. Upham, ex-governor of Wisconsin, and a resident of Marshfield, that state, will wed Miss Grace Wilson Mason, a charming young society belle of Durham, N. C.

This marriage, which comes as a surprise to all, is the climax of a pretty little romance which started a few months ago when the ex-chief executive of Wisconsin sailed into Beaufort harbor on his trim little yacht Comrade and met Miss Mason, who had been visiting her sister, Mrs. C. L. Duncan. Cupid's arrow, fired at short range, went home. It was a case of love at first sight, at least for Mr. Upham, and the affair grew on apace, not becoming known until today when the groom-to-be walked into the office of the register of deeds and made application for a marriage license.

The ceremony will take place at the home of Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Duncan early tomorrow and will be performed by Rev. B. F. Huske, rector of Christ Episcopal church, of this city. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Upham will leave via rail for Annapolis, where they will attend the commencement exercises at West Point, of which school the groom is a former student.

# HELPLESS AS BACY

## Down in Mind Unable to Work, and What Helped Her.

Summit Point, W. Va.—Mrs. Anna Belle Emey, of this place, says: "I suffered for 15 years with an awful pain in my right side, caused from womanly trouble, and doctored lots for it, but without success. I suffered so very much, that I became down in mind, and as helpless as a baby. I was in the worst kind of shape. Was unable to do any work.

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**MONUMENT TO DEAD IN FRENCH TOWN OF ST. QUENTIN**

**Design Sketched by German Emperor—Story of "How Come."**

The German Emperor recently sketched a dresign for a monument which is to be erected in the former French town of St. Quentin, to the memory of the dead in the present war. The story of what led to this is given in the German papers as follows:

"The Germans, on occupying St. Quentin, found a very fine monument to the French soldiers fallen in 1871, by the side of which a plain memorial tablet in honor of the German dead of the same year formed a rather undignified contrast. The military officials therefore decided to have another monument erected, this time to the dead of 1914-15, which, however, is to be common to both French and Germans. The local city councillors offered to bear half the cost, and a Charlottenburg artist, Professor Wandschaelder, was charged with drawing the design. The artist sent in three designs and the Emperor came down from the Main headquarters specially to view them.

"He found them unsatisfactory. He wanted a richer design. He himself indicated the leading idea: an open temple-hall in Etruscan form, in the background—the memorial wall with the names of the dead, and on either side, on the right and on the left a German and a French soldier standing as guards of honor. The obvious objection to this plan was that the figure of the German soldier, may later on, perhaps, be damaged by fanatical chauvinists bereft of the high and noble ideas of the Emperor, who, in a truly German spirit, was prepared to honor the brave foe, as much as the victor. Thereupon the Emperor decided: 'Let the warriors be equipped in an antique fashion.' In the course of the next few days the Emperor made two sketches expressing his idea and sent them to Professor Wanschaelder, with the express remark, however, that he need not, so far as details were concerned, feel himself in the least tied down to the model."

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**Indians Make it Two Straight from Browns—Athletics Drop Two to Red Sox—Yankees Break Losing Streak.**

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

At Cleveland 12; St. Louis 1.
2nd: Cleveland 9; St. Louis 6.
At Philadelphia 7; Boston 2.
2nd: Philadelphia 2; Boston 9.
At Washington 4; New York 11.
2nd: Washington 1; New York 4.
At Chicago 3; Detroit 4.
2nd: Chicago 3; Detroit 1.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Detroit at Chicago.
St. Louis at Cleveland.
Washington at Philadelphia.
Boston at New York.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

| | W | L | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 26 | 14 | .650 |
| Detroit | 25 | 16 | .610 |
| New York | 19 | 15 | .559 |
| Boston | 17 | 15 | .531 |
| Cleveland | 17 | 19 | .472 |
| Washington | 15 | 19 | .441 |
| St. Louis | 15 | 23 | .395 |
| Philadelphia | 12 | 26 | .333 |

Chicago, May 31.—Two passed balls by Baker, coupled with J. Collins' triple and daring base running by Blackburne and J. Collins gave Chicago a 3 to 1 victory over Detroit this afternoon and enabled them to retain their position at the head of the league. Detroit won the morning game 4 to 3 and would have moved ahead of the locals if they had won the second contest.

Russell had the distinction of losing and winning a game in one day. He started the morning game but was unsteady, while in the afternoon contest he pitched in great form, holding his opponents to five scattered hits.

Detroit .....010 020 001—4 11 1
Chicago .....000 200 001—3 11 1
Cavet and Baker; Russell, Cicotte, Faber and Schalk.
Afternoon game:
Detroit .....000 100 000—1 5 0
Chicago .....000 000 12*—3 7 2
Boland and Baker; Russell and Schalk.

Cleveland, May 31.—Cleveland made it two straight from St. Louis today, winning the morning game 12 to 1 and the afternoon game 9 to 6. In the first game Loudermilk was batted hard, while in the afternoon contest James was knocked out of the box and Perryman also was hit hard. Home runs by Pratt and Smith featured the afternoon contest.

Cleveland .....201 500 22*—12 18 1
St. Louis .....000 001 000— 1 5 3
Mitchell and Egan; Loudermilk and Hoch and Agnew.
Afternoon game:
Cleveland .....006 012 00*—9 12 1
St. Louis .....101 310 000—6 5 2
R. Walker, Morton and O'Neill; James, Perryman, Hamilton and Agnew and Severoid.

Philadelphia, May 31.—Boston won both games from Philadelphia today, the scores being 2 to 1 and 9 to 2. Foster had the better of Bush in a pitching duel in the morning game.

In the afternoon contest the visitors made a seventh inning rally and won by scoring seven unearned runs on six hits, two sacrifices, two errors, a pass and a wild pitch by Shawkey. The home team could not solve the delivery of Mays after the first inning.

Boston .....000 000 200—2 8 0
Philadelphia ....000 000 010—1 9 1
Foster and Thomas; Bush, Wyckoff and McAvoy.
Afternoon game:
Boston .....200 000 700—9 14 1
Philadelphia .....200 000 000—2 5 2
Mays, Collins and Thomas; Shawkey, W. Davis and McAvoy.

Washington, May 31.—New York broke its losing streak here today by winning both games of the Memorial Day programme with Washington 11 to 4 and 4 to 1.

Bunched hits, errors and base on balls gave the visitors the morning game.

In the afternoon each team scored in the first inning, after which Boehling and Fisher battled on even terms until the sixth. Maisel up five times, got four hits, including a triple, and walked once.

New York .....401 300 010—11 10 1
Washington ....000 300 001— 4 8 2
Caldwell and Sweeney; Shaw, Gallia, Engel, Hopper and Henry.
Afternoon game:
New York .....100 003 000— 4 8 0
Washington .....100 000 000—1 8 4
Fisher and Nunemaker; Boehling and Henry.

### ROCKY MOUNT AND SUFFOLK SPLIT EVEN DOUBLE HEADER

**Tar Heels Win Second Game After Losing First, at Home.**

(Special Star Telegram.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., May 31.—The Tar Heels made a division of the double-header by taking the second game and driving Southpaw Jim Pool to the dog house in great style and ere the fifth frame was chalked there was enough runs and to spare to insure victory for the Tar Heels, for Bud Pope, the Harnett county speed king, was pacing in great style. Sixteen hundred fans cheered the Tar Heels on to victory, though the locals were never in danger after the third, though in the eighth, with one out and the bases loaded, Welcher was robbed of a hit when Daubert grabbed a stinger on a dead run near second and forced the runner at second, and beat Welcher to first by a hair's breadth, when the Tigers' runner at second and third had completed their circle of corners all to no avail.

Suffolk .....000 000 000—0 7 5
Rocky Mount ....002 020 10*—5 7 4
Pool, Efird and Welcher; Pope and Ulrich; umpire Bussey; time 1:25; attendance 1,600.

Rocky Mount, N. C., May 31.—Ichabod Pool wouldn't let the locals have a semblance of anything that looked like a hit with men on the corners in the opening clash of today's double-header, and thus the lanky port-wheeler yanked the bacon by a score of 4 to 1. In comparison Applegate was hit safe when three were in the paths and but one run can be traced in a semblance to an error and the other three are charged to the flinger.

Suffolk .....010 102 000—4 7 1
Rocky Mount ....010 000 000—1 5 2
Pool and Welcher; Applegate and Ulrich; umpire, Bussey; time 1:25; attendance 1,500.

## GIANTS AND BROOKLYN EVEN UP DAY'S GAMES

### Philas and Braves Likewise Split Double-Header.

**Pirates Take Two From Cubs by Closest Score—Reds and Cardinals Could Get Conclusion in Only One Session.**

RESULTS YESTERDAY

At New York 4; Brooklyn 2.
2nd: New York 2; Brooklyn 6.
At Pittsburg 1; Chicago 0.
2nd: Pittsburg 1; Chicago 0.
At Boston 3; Philadelphia 1.
2nd: Boston 2; Philadelphia 5.
At St. Louis 1; Cincinnati 2.
2nd: St. Louis 4; Cincinnati 4.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Philadelphia at Brooklyn.
New York at Boston.
Chicago at Pittsburg.
Cincinnati at St. Louis.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

| | W | L | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 22 | 16 | .579 |
| Philadelphia | 20 | 15 | .571 |
| Boston | 19 | 18 | .514 |
| Brooklyn | 17 | 18 | .486 |
| Pittsburg | 18 | 19 | .486 |
| St. Louis | 18 | 20 | .474 |
| Cincinnati | 15 | 18 | .455 |
| New York | 14 | 19 | .424 |

Boston, May 31.—By winning this afternoon's game 5 to 2 Philadelphia split the double-header with Boston today, the Braves having won the morning game 2 to 1. The visitors grouped clean hits in the sixth and eighth innings of the second contest for all their runs. Bancroft lost a chance for a triple play in the first inning, when after retiring two men by a catch and touching second base he made a wild throw to first base to catch another runner.

Philadelphia .....100 000 000—1 6 0
Boston .....001 100 000—2 9 0
Chalmers and Killifer; Hughes and Whaling.
Afternoon game:
Philadelphia .....000 003 020—5 11 2
Boston .....000 020 000—2 7 2
Mayer and Killifer; Tyler and Whaling and Tragesser.

New York, May 31.—New York and Brooklyn split even in the two Memorial Day games here today, the locals winning the morning contest 4 to 2 and Brooklyn taking the afternoon game 6 to 2 before the largest crowd of the season.

Fletcher's single in the eighth inning, scoring Burns and Lobert, decided the first contest. In the second Brooklyn hit Stroud hard in the sixth and seventh innings, while Rucker kept the Giants' hits well scattered.

Brooklyn .....000 002 000—2 11 0
New York .....000 101 02*—4 12 2
Codore and Miller; Perritt and McLean.
Afternoon game:
Brooklyn .....010 002 300—6 13 3
New York .....000 001 010—2 8 1
Rucker and Miller; Stroud, Schauer and McLean.

St. Louis, May 31.—Cincinnati took the first game of a double-header from St. Louis 2 to 1 here today, but the locals held the visitors to a 4 to 4 tie in the second game which was called after the ninth inning because of darkness.

In the last inning of the first game Butler, St. Louis shortstop, was knocked unconscious in a collision with Mollwetz, Cincinnati's first baseman, who was running for second.

Cincinnoti .....000 011 000—2 11 1
St. Louis .....100 000 000—1 3 0
Dale and Clark; Doak, Griner and Snyder.
Second game:
Cincinnati .....100 002 001—4 10 3
St. Louis .....010 010 110—4 15 2
Ames, Benton, Lear and Clark and Wingo; Robinson, Griner and Snyder.

Pittsburg, May 31.—Chicago lost both games to Pittsburg today by the same score, 1 to 0. In the morning game Lavender passed three men in the third inning and hit a fourth man, forcing in the only run. The afternoon contest was a duel between Cheney and Mamaux. Cheney allowed the Pirates only two hits, both made by Carey. He lost his own game in the second inning when he passed Hinchman, who went to second on Wagner's out and scored on a wild pitch.

Chicago .....000 000 000—0 3 1
Pittsburg .....001 000 00*—1 4 1
Lavender, Standridge and Bresnahan; Cooper and Gibson.
Afternoon game:
Chicago .....000 000 000—0 5 2
Pittsburg .....010 000 00*—1 2 1
Cheney, Zabel and Archer; Mamaux and Gibson.

### JULIUS BAUMGARTEN DEAD.

**Was Designer of the Great Seal of the Confederate States.**

Washington, May 31.—Julius Baumgarten, who designed the Great Seal of the Southern Confederacy, died at his home here last night, at the age of 86. He was an engraver and designer by trade and before he went to Richmond in Civil War times, was in business in Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Philadelphia, May 31.—Miss Molla Bjurstedt, of Norway, was obliged to default because of an injured ankle in the first round of the annual tennis tournament for the women's championship of Pennsylvania and Eastern States, which opened today on the courts at Merion with 54 entries. Sixteen qualified for the third round of the singles which will start tomorrow.

Opening of season at Lumina Saturday. Music by 10-piece orchestra. (Advertisement.)

Today is Dollar Day at Polvogt's. (Advertisement.)

## NEWARK AND BUFFALO DIVIDE DOUBLE BILLS

### With Brooklyn and Baltimore Terrapins.

**Pittsfeds Drop One to St. Louis—Kansas City and Chicago Whack Up Closely Played Double-header—Scores of Yesterday.**

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

At Newark, 5; Brooklyn, 3.
2nd: Brooklyn, 5; Newark, 3.
At Buffalo, 2; Baltimore, 0.
At Buffalo, 2; Baltimore, 0.
At St. Louis, 3; Pittsburg, 2.
2nd: St. Louis, 0; Pittsburg, 0.
At Chicago, 2; Kansas City, 3.
2nd: Chicago, 2; Kansas City, 1.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Kansas City at Chicago.
Newark at Brooklyn.
Baltimore at Buffalo.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

| | W | L | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 23 | 16 | .590 |
| Pittsburgh | 23 | 17 | .575 |
| Kansas City | 21 | 17 | .553 |
| Newark | 20 | 16 | .556 |
| Brooklyn | 18 | 18 | .500 |
| St. Louis | 17 | 17 | .500 |
| Baltimore | 15 | 22 | .405 |
| Buffalo | 12 | 26 | .316 |

Newark, May 31.—Newark won the morning game here from Brooklyn, 5 to 3. Until the ninth only two scratch hits had been made off Moran.

Brooklyn .....000 000 003—3 6 5
Newark .....201 100 10*—5 9 2
Marion and Pratt; Moran and Rariden.

Brooklyn, N. Y., May 31.—(Afternoon)—The Brooklyns, by a brilliant batting rally in the eighth inning, in the afternoon game, scored five runs and won.

Upham relieved LaFitte in the ninth, and set the Newarks down in order. LaFitte was hit freely in the sixth when the visitors scored three runs. Kauff's fielding was a feature.

Newark .....000 003 000—3 9 1
Brooklyn .....000 000 05*—5 10 1
Whitehouse, Moseley and Rariden; LaFitte, Upham and Land, Pratt.

Baltimore, May 31.—After shutting out Baltimore in the morning game 2 to 0, due principally to Fred Anderson's work in the box, the Buffalos lost the afternoon game today 5 to 3.

Krapp's wildness in the third inning of the second game gave the visitors their opportunity. First game:

Baltimore .....000 000 000—0 5 0
Buffalo .....000 010 10*—2 6 2
Bender and Owens; Anderson and Blair.
Afternoon:
Baltimore .....003 100 100—5 6 0
Buffalo .....000 003 000—3 9 1
Suggs and Jacklitsch; Grapp, Blake and Blair.

St. Louis, May 31.—Johnson's home run in the seventh ended a tie and gave St. Louis the first game of a doubleheader with Pittsburg, here, today, 3 to 2. The second game—a pitcher's duel between Davenport and Allen, was called at the end of the ninth because of darkness, niether team having scored. First:

Pittsburgh .....000 002 000—2 5 2
St. Louis .....002 000 10*—3 7 1
Rogge, Leclair and Berry; Groom and Hartley.
Second game:
Pittsburgh .....000 000 000—0 5 2
St. Louis .....000 000 000—0 4 2
Allen and O'Connor; Davenport and Hartley.

Chicago, May 31.—Kansas City and Chicago divided honors in two hard fought pitchers' battles today. Main's good pitching and timely hitting gave him the verdict over McConnell in the opener, 3 to 2, in ten innings, after Zwilling's home run had tied the score for Chicago in the eighth. Henning allowed only one hit in the first nine innings of the second game, but two errors permitted Chicago to tie in the ninth and after Wilson had doubled in the eleventh the Kansas City pitcher walked three, passing in the winning run, 2 to 1. First:

Kansas City .....020 000 000 1—3 7 2
Chicago .....000 010 010 0—2 4 0
Main and Brown; McConnell and Wilson.
Second game:
Kansas City .....000 100 000 00—1 8 5
Chicago .....000 000 001 01—2 3 1
Henning and Easterly; Brown and Fischer, Wilson.

## DE PALMA DRIVING GERMAN CAR BREAKS RACE RECORD

### Spins Over 500-Mile Race Course at Indianapolis, at Average Speed of 89.84 Miles an Hour—Takes Lead Just Before Finish of 200 Miles—Rene Thomas, Last Year's Winner, Averages 82.47 Miles.

Indianapolis, May 31.—Dalph DePalma, driving a German car, won the fifth annual 500-mile international sweepstakes on the Indianapolis motor speedway here today in the remarkable time of five hours, 33 minutes and 55 1-2 seconds. The victor traveled at an average speed of 89.84 miles an hour and set a new record for the race.

Davie Resta, who finished second, four minutes behind the winner, contested every mile of the race and these two pilots were the feature of the contest. Gil Anderson was third and completed the race in 5 hours, 42 minutes and 27.57 seconds.

DePalma, Resta and Anderson all broke the record for the race established in 1914, by Rene Thomas, who finished in 6 hours, 3 minutes and 45.9 seconds.

Out of 23 cars that started, 11 finished, of which ten received prize money.

**DePalma's Race Consistent.**

DePalma drove a consistent race. He never was back of fourth place. He wrested the lead from Resta in the 175th mile, lost in the 315th mile when he stopped at the pits and regained it in the 335th when Resta skidded into the retaining wall and was forced to make a tire change as the result. After that DePalma never was headed, although Resta pushed his car to the limit.

DePalma's machine ran perfectly until the beginning of the 495th mile when it showed signs of faltering.

Spectators feared the car would fail and DePalma would be robbed of victory as he was in 1912, when with but two miles to go, his machine broke down.

**And Nobody Injured.**

This year's race was the first race in which no one was injured. The track was ideal as it was chilly and tires lasted much longer than is usual on a brick course. The winner made two stops for tires and fuel. Speedway officials said tonight the record probably would stand for years.

Ten drivers divide the $50,000 prize money of which DePalma's share is $20,000. They finished as follows:

Ralph DePalma, Darie Resta, Gil Anderson, Earl Cooper, Tom O'Donnell, Bob Burman, Howard Wilcox, Tom Alley, Hughie Hughes (driving for Billy Carlson), and Noel Van Raalte.

New York, May 31.—Jim Coffey, the Dublin giant, stopped Jim Flynn, the Pueblo fireman, in the ninth round of their ten round bout match in the open at the Brighton Beach race track tonight.

Attend Polvogt's Dollar Day Sale today. (advertisement.)

Opening of season at Lumina Saturday. Music by 10-piece orchestra.

## MINOR LEAGUES

**SOUTHERN LEAGUE.**

At Memphis, 4—1; Mobile, 0—2.
At Little Rock, 2—4; Birmingham, 3—0.
At Nashville, 4; Atlanta, 3 (17 innings). Second game postponed.
At Chattanooga-New Orleans, both games postponed—rain.

**AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.**

Morning games: At Columbus, 10; Louisville, 3.
At Minneapolis, 5; St. Paul, 2.
At Kansas City 3; Milwaukee 2.
2nd: Kansas City 0; Milwaukee 4.
2nd: Columbus 3; Louisville 1.
2nd: Indianapolis 4; Cleveland 3.
At St. Paul 6; Minneapolis 3.

**INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.**

**Morning Games.**

At Buffalo 7; Toronto 1.
At Rochester 5; Montreal 0.
At Jersey City 2; Newark 1.
At Providence 3; Richmond 7.

**Afternoon Games.**

At Buffalo 0; Toronto 8.
At Providence 3; Richmond 10.
At Newark 1; Jersey City 5.
At Rochester 3; Montreal 11.

**SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE.**

At Jacksonville 1; Albany 6.
2nd: Jacksonville 3; Albany 1; (7 in.)
At Charleston 6; Columbia 3.
At Macon 1; Columbus 4.
Savannah-Augusta, not scheduled.

**VIRGINIA LEAGUE.**

At Portsmouth 5; Norfolk 3.
At Norfolk 0; Portsmouth 2.
At Newport News 5; Petersburg 3.
2nd: Newport News 4; Petersburg 3.
At Rocky Mount 1; Suffolk 4.
2nd: Rocky Mount 5; Suffolk 0.

**NORTH CAROLINA LEAGUE.**

At Greensboro-Raleigh, rain.
At Charlotte-Asheville, rain.
At Durham, 0; Winston-Salem, 1.

**COLLEGE GAMES.**

At New Haven—Yale, 22; Cornell, 5.
At Providence—Harvard, 11; Brown, 10.

London, May 31.—Bombardier Wells knocked out Dick Smith, the light heavyweight champion of England, in the ninth round of a 20-round match.

Ladies' Crepe Kimonas, 69c today at Polvogt Co.'s Dollar Day Sale. (Advertisement.)

## NOTICE

The insurance and real estate firm of Wilder & Metts is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The real estate business will be continued by Mr. Wilder and the insurance business will be continued by Mr. Metts.

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TUESDAY, JUNE 1, 1915.


We have reached the sentimental stage in North Carolina.

"Piece at any price"—the bigger the piece the greater the peace.

When we suspend judgment too often we are likely to forget where we suspended it.

New York has nothing to fear from invasion. She has already had experience with gunmen.

A lady friend of ours tells us that a menace can be readily identified on account of the "men" in it.

"Do you spend your money at home?" the merchant inquires. "No—the girls spend it down town," answered dad.

A man who bought a house on "easy payments" when times were good, says he has found out that war makes easy payments hard.

The arctic town of Neversink should not be so sure that it won't. There's nothing in a name so's you'd notice it at the present time.

Uncle Sam thought he had submitted a demand to Germany. However, Germany looked over it and concluded that it was only a subject for debate.

Even if Marconi can see through a brick wall with his invention, a brick wall will continue to be safe so long as very few guns will shoot through it.

If nations think it is an excuse to go to war because they want the territory in which some of their people have settled, immigration might become our bane, as well as emigration.

Of course, Mr. James Oyster, of Washington, D. C., might manage to take care of himself during the summer, but when fall comes it is up to him to keep from getting in the soup.

Since her men have gone to war, Italy has put 11,000 women on the police force. Americans who go to Italy must speak Italian so they can understand whether they are arrested or kidnaped.

We will now greet the June bride. A large number of matrimonial contracts will be fulfilled on and after today. Young folks call them engagements but the courts know them only as contracts.

The natural gas men held their annual convention in Cincinnati a few days ago. We know a lot of natural gas men who never attended that convention, but there is no use of naming them. They will speak for themselves during the political campaign next year.

Before the European nations will listen to proposals of peace, they insist on having territory as compensation. We are so anxious to stop the bloody thing that we are willing to add Horry county to North Carolina and let the belligerents have the balance of South Carolina.

"I'm not treated right by anybody," said one man to another. "Well," remarked his friend, "that makes it unanimous; you have never treated yourself right since I have known you." About that time the man who isn't treated right was moving off, for the reason that he could not dispute a word his friend had spoken.

Says the New Orleans States: "In these days when the world is full of the war spirit, the only topic that can be freely discussed without producing any friction is the weather." Nevertheless, some fellow will bring up the subject of the weather in order to cuss it for being so bad the armies can't go out in it and annihilate each other.

Colonel Roosevelt got one of his ribs broken while trying to mount his horse a few days ago. How can he be a rough rider any more, if getting on a horse is too rough for him? However, the Colonel pays very little attention to such a trivial thing as a broken rib and must feel satisfied that it will be well by the time Germany gets tired answering notes and tells us to go tell.

## WILMINGTON'S NEXT MOVE.

The contract for the construction of the 14 or 15 miles of good road in Northwest township, Brunswick county, will be awarded in a few days and it is proposed by the township road commissioners that the work shall be commenced right away and prosecuted with vigor till the highway is completed to the Columbia county line, where the new road will form a junction with that county's good roads system.

This is a matter of more than ordinary interest to Wilmington, since the Northwest road will be Brunswick's link in the Wilmington-to-Charlotte Highway. In view of this fact, it is time for Wilmington to sit up and take natice of its meaning to her. It will also mean that an automobile highway will be opened between Wilmington and Pinehurst, Southern Pines, and the winter resort region thereabouts. Therefore, it is up to Wilmington to get a hustle on her and establish a free ferry from the foot of Market street to Eagles' Island, and meanwhile give that free bridge scheme over the Cape Fear the serious consideration that it deserves without delay.

We should not let Northwest township construct her highway and then look over at us and ask us why we don't come across with our proposition for a free ferry or a free bridge, provided she would get in the game with a modern highway through her limits in order that Wilmington might get an outlet through Brunswick county to the outside world. Well, Northwest is going ahead with the condition proposed by us.

Northwest township voted $15,000 in bonds for her road, and it will start at Brunswick river bridge, opposite Wilmington, and run thence towards Cronly. The bonds have been sold and the money is in bank, so all that has to be done is to award the construction contract within the next ten days. Mr. W. H. Banck, of this city, is the engineer, and the roadway will be so surveyed that crooked places will be made straight, with a saving of about four miles in a stretch of 14 or 15 miles of road. This will mean a shortening of the distance to be run between Wilmington and Cronly and between Cronly and all points in Columbus, Bladen and counties beyond.

It is time for Wilmington to renew her efforts concerning the Wilmington-to-Pinehurst Highway. That is a worthwhile project, if we only could realize it, for the travel to Pinehurst and Southern Pines from the North would come by steamer to Wilmington and go hence in automobiles to those famous North Carolina winter resorts. Tourists would bring their cars by the Clyde Line to Wilmington, and as they are anxious to do it we should get busy and see that they can.

Just now, Mr. Leonard Tufts, the millionaire promoter of Pinehurst, is interesting himself in a proposition for a Charlotte-to-Pinehurst Highway. We should not let Charlotte beat Wilmington to North Carolina's popular winter resort region with a motor car line.

## EUROPE HAD TO BE FED.

The war in Europe has called for a tremendous amount of foodstuffs from the United States. The government statistics of exports for April show that during the month, as compared with April, 1914, the exports of corn increased by more than 14 times; of wheat, more than seven times; of flour, nearly double; of canned beef, more than 25 times; of fresh beef, nearly 50 times; of pickled beef, etc., nearly double; of bacon, more than three times; of hog lard, nearly three times; of pickled pork, more than double. There were also substantial increases in exports of hams, oleo oil, shoulders, lard compound, lubricating oils, and gasoline.

Exportation of breadstuffs, cottonseed oil, food animals, meat and dairy products, cotton and of mineral oils amounted to more than $136,600,000 during April, according to a statement issued by the Department of Commerce Friday. During the same month last year the exportation of these articles amounted to but a little over $58,000,000. The great increase was recorded by the exports of breadstuffs, cottonseed oil, meat and dairy products, and cotton.

During April the exports of breadstuffs amounted to more than $66,000,000, an increase of more than $58,000,000 over the exports of breadstuffs during April, 1914. The exports of cottonseed oil amounted to more than 45,600,000 pounds, an increase of more than 27,000,000 pounds; the exports of meat and dairy products amounted to more than $22,600,000, an increase of more than $14,000,000, and the exports of cotton amounted to more than 672,000 bales, an increase of more than 273,000 bales.

This does not take into account the tremendous exportation of war materials in April. Last week the exports of war munitions were the heaviest since the war began. Of course, so long as the war keeps up and ships can plow the ocean, the exports of foodstuffs and war materials will continue to be enormous. France recently chartered 45 steamships to carry war supplies.

## THE COTTON CROP CONDITION.

According to 2,700 replies from Cotton Belt correspondents of the New York Journal of Commerce, the acreage reduction in cotton planted is from 10 to 13 per cent of the acreage last year. The percentage condition as a whole up to May 23 was 80.4, compared with 78.2 per cent. last year at this time, 80.5 per cent in 1913; 76.9 in 1912; 82.8 per cent last year at this time; 80.5 per cent in 1913; 76.9 in 1912; 83.8 per cent in 1911, and a 10-year average of 79.2 per cent. Thus it may be noted that the cotton crop so far is just above the average at this time of the year.

Concerning acreage, there is still a wide range of opinion, the most reliable estimates ranging from 10 to 13 per cent, with many of the best judges inclining to a 10-per cent reduction. As to the crop conditions, Missouri stands highest with 88 per cent and North Carolina comes next with 86.2 per cent. The condition figure for South Carolina is 81 per cent. Louisiana and Texas, on account of excessive rains, show the lowest condition, both running about 77 per cent. Nearly all other States show a higher average condition than usual. North Carolina's condition is 7 per cent above the 10-year average.

While the season averages twelve days late, most States have made a fairly normal start, with the exception of Texas, Lousiana and Alabama, which are eighteen, sixteen and thirteen days late, respectively. The crop is very free from insects, with the exception of the appearance of the boll weevil in some States. Grass has become troublesome in some sections, but stands are generally good, and there is an excellent season in the ground. Some replanting has been necessary, but correspondents say that no grain lands have been turned into cotton. Chopping out is nearly completed, and the crop as a whole starts out with fair prospects.

Government estimates of acreage and yield, together with the percentage condition in June for the past ten years, as compiled by the Journal of Commerce, are given below for comparison:

| Year. | Bales. | Acreage. | Condition. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1915 .... | ..... | ..... | 80.4 |
| 1914 .... | 16,645,000 | 36,722,000 | 78.2 |
| 1913 .... | 14,614,000 | 37,458,000 | 80.5 |
| 1912 .... | 14,091,000 | 34,766,000 | 76.9 |
| 1911 .... | 16,109,000 | 36,681,000 | 83.8 |
| 1910 .... | 11,966,000 | 33,418,000 | 80.2 |
| 1909 .... | 10,386,000 | 32,292,000 | 82.1 |
| 1908 .... | 13,432,000 | 32,444,000 | 79.0 |
| 1907 .... | 11,326,000 | 31,311,000 | 69.0 |
| 1906 .... | 13,305,000 | 31,374,000 | 82.1 |
| 1905 .... | 10,726,000 | 26,117,000 | 77.4 |

According to present prospects, the crop estimated for this year will be 14,980,500 bales, compared with 16,645,000 bales last year. The low crop year was 1905, with 10,726,000 bales on an acreage of 26,117,000.

## AS BIG BUSINESS SEES IT.

At last Big Business, or some of it at any rate, is beginning to realize that the government has no quarrel with legitimate business and will not annoy any business so long as it does not annoy the government and the people. Leastwise, Judge Gary, of the United States Steel Corporation, in an address on Friday at the annual meeting of the American Iron and Steel Institute, took a cheerful view of the business of this country, and especially of the great industry with which he holds a leading position.

Judge Gary made some timely and judicious remarks about the business mistakes and abuses of the past, the relations of labor and capital, the relations of government to business, and as to what is needed for the well being of the country and its great business interests. Evidently tired of the differences of big business with the government, he very properly urged that business men throughout the country give no further cause of complaint to the government in the management of corporate affairs. He urged the large interests to "continue to live up to the standards of propriety," and that on those conditions the business interests insist that the Federal and State governments, "with all their agencies and influences, shall co-operate with the business interests and aid them in establishing credit, in extending commerce, in increasing capacity, in the development of the natural resources, in adding to the comfort of themselves and those with whom they are connected and for whose welfare they are more or less responsible."

We have always conceived that to be the only desire of the government in regulating business where it was necessary in the interest of the people. All the government has aimed to do is to get business to behave towards the people, and when that is done business really can eat out of the hand of the government.

If Big Business will take Judge Gary's advice, the conflict between the people and the so-called trusts will be declared off and the politicians will no longer have the opportunity to appear great in getting glory for themselves by attacking every corporation as an oppressor of the people. Many corporations have had to suffer because some of the corporations have not been good and law-abiding fellows in the past.

## CURRENT COMMENT.

The Wilmington Star says: "If Barnes would make remarks about Roosevelt similar to those Teddy made about Barnes, it would be difficult to prove that it constituted libel. It would be only one man's opinion of another." And then, quite likely the jury would make it thirteen men's opinion.—Jacksonville Times-Union.

The cheese factory proposition at Grassy Creek seems to be an assured fact. The outfit has been ordered and will be installed as early as possible and will be run on a co-operative plan. The government is to furnish an efficient man to install the plant and teach the scieca of cheese making.—Jefferson (N. C.) Recorder.

Wheat harvesting in Texas will be under way the latter part of this week and in Oklahoma it will begin about June 15. The price is expected to be $1 a bushel at the thresher, while the farmers are expecting $1.25 or more the coming summer. Meantime, they are still figuring on the probable damage to the crop. The New York Post's Chicago reporter says the estimates that are going around in the past 30 days, range all the way from 50,000,000 to 80,000,000 bushels. One expert figures a loss of 100,000,000, but that is not a general view. If it were to prove correct, it would leave something like 600,000,000 bushels from the government's crop indication of May 1. Even that would be the second largest crop ever raised; and The Price Current, whose estimates are always taken with respect by the trade, now admits an apparent damage not above 50,000,000 to 80,000,000 bushels.—Charlotte Observer.

The alumnae of the State Normal and Industrial College have done the proper thing in going on record in asking that the name of that institution be changed to the McIver College, that in its name the college may do honor to the man who put his heart and his life into its making. It would be well for the State of North Carolina to thus pay tribute to the man who made the great fight for the advancement of the education of the young women of the State that they might be equipped to go out into the public schools and be a force of uplift for them. The State Normal and Industrial College is more than merely a college for the education of young women. Its very existence is because there are public schools in North Carolina, because there are boys and girls who are to be trained so as to become citizens of worth for the State. That was the message of the life of Charles D. McIver. It was not that he wanted a college for women, but it was that his great desire was to see sent into the harvest fields of the public schools of the State young women prepared and equipped as teachers, a desire which made his fight for the establishment of the Normal and Industrial a potential fight. And there was rejoicing in his heart up to that day when he was suddenly ushered into the unknown that his dream was being realized.—Raleigh News and Observer.

## LOWER REAL ESTATE VALUES.

To the Editor of The Star:

I trust that the board of assessors who are now putting the taxable value on real estate in New Hanover county for the next four years realize the hard times now prevailing on account of the European situation and the general depression in business and values.

There is no doubt that there is a great slump in real estate here as well as in the rest of the State. The other sections will probably, owing to conditions, decrease their values. They certainly will not increase them. Why, therefore, should we do so?

It is well known that our valuations are higher than in some other sections and that we pay the State more than our proportion of taxes. I hope, therefore, that our assessors will reduce our values on this account, but more especially because property values and incomes have been greatly reduced.

Our town is cleaner and looks better than it ever did before on this account. I trust, however, that the assessors will not let this outweigh the fact that incomes and actual values are much less than they have been in years.

TAXPAYER.

Wilmington, N. C., May 31, 1915.

## PHENOMENAL INCREASE IN DUTCH FLORISTS' TRADE.

### General Depression Gives Rise to Unprecedented Demand for Flowers.

The Hague, Netherlands, May 31.—Although times are hard, the Dutch florists' trade has enjoyed a phenomenal increase this spring, the general depression having given rise to an unprecedented demand for cut flowers to cheer Dutch homes.

The shops are filled with carnations, the stately iris with oriflames of dazzling blue, up-standing gladioli, Darwin tulips with their long pliant stems, exquisite yellow tea roses, orchids galore, and peonies with heads as big as cabbages. Among the potted plants there are marvelous hortensias, fragrant hyacinths from the bulb fields near Haarlem, weird blooms of the calcellaria and hydrangias. All are offered at modest prices, notwithstanding the demand.

The cultivation and sale of cut flowers is a recent growth in the Netherlands. It is strange that there should be any market for them at all, for the bulb fields, where plants are raised in thousands for export, and where he, who asks may receive all the blossoms he desires without price, are within early reach of the cities. Every Sunday from April to mid-July, hundreds of bicyclists may be seen returning from the bulb fields, huge bunches of tulips, narcissi or hyacinths strung about thir shoulders and tied to the frames of their machines. For the bulb-farmer is interested only in the bulbs; the blossoms he cuts and throws away, if no one cares to ask for them. The blossoms of the most expensive tulip bulbs are left to rot beside the fields, unless some casual visitor claims them.

Flowers are, of course, also grown solely for sale as cut flowers or as plants in pots. The center of this young but already flourishing industry is Boskoop, a small town near Gouda, where the sight of acres of greenhouses rewards a visit. The products of the hothouses and rose gardens are brought into Rotterdam, Amsterdam and The Hague in the fresh hours of early morning, generally in carts drawn by dogs hitched beneath. The potted plants can afford a more leisurely trip. They arrive by the most ancient Dutch roads, the canals. Any day the traveler in Holland may see barges, so covered with close-packed plants as to resemble floating flower gardens, drawn up in the shade of trees at the canal side, their pleasing jumble of colors doubled in the water.

**Do YOU Know What the Drug User Faces?**

**Your will power may be strong—*but it's weak in fighting the desire for drugs.* Stronger wills than yours have found this true—that once the addiction is formed it drives the victim step by step towards moral and physical breakdown. Attempts to break it off generally result in intense suffering and the drug user *finds he cannot stop.***

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By virtue and in pursuance of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage made by T. H. McGee, and Mary C. McGee, his wife, to the City and Suburban Building Association, said mortgage deed bearing date of 15th day of November, 1913, and duly recorded in Book No. 74, at page No. 126, Register of Deeds Office of said New Hanover County. Default having been made in the payment of the obligation secured by said mortgage, the undersigned will expose for sale and sell, for cash, at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, at 12 o'clock, noon, the 9th day of June, 1915, the following described land, lying and being situate in the State and County aforesaid, Cape Fear Township:

All of lots or farms Number Thirteen (13), Fourteen (14) and Fifteen (15), according to map or survey made by J. A. Pickett for Matt. J. Heyer, which said map or survey is duly recorded in Book 69, at page 698, Public Records of New Hanover County, reference to which is hereby made for a more complete description. Also a strip of land thirty-five (35) feet wide, extending along the entire length of the Northern part of Lot or Farm No. 12, said strip being a part of Farm No. 12, lying South of Farm No. 13, reference being made to same map or survey, as above mentioned.

Dated and published this 8th day of May, 1915.

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We have 200 dozen Men's Colored Socks that were made to sell at 15c a pair. I want to sell them, and will sell two pair for 15c.

THE LADIES' COAT-SUIT DEPARTMENT has received lots of New Skirts, Shirt-Waists and Palm Beach Suits. White Coats and Wash Dresses.

We are selling a Splendid Dress at $1.19; $7.50 White Coats for $5.00; Palm Beach Skirts at $1.50 each. Silk Waists at 98c each.

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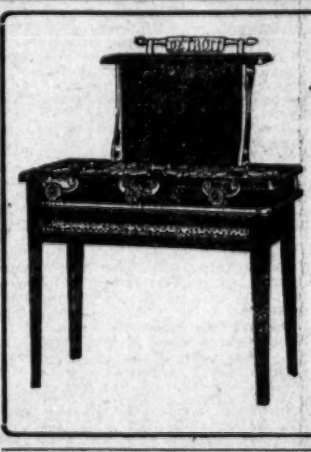

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# SPITAL GETS SAME AMOUNT FROM COUNTY

## mmissioners Vote Appro- ation Of $10,000 For Year

**ion Followed Warm Discussion as to Expense of Operation of Institution—Budget of Health Department Adopted.**

The New Hanover Board of Commissioners voted yesterday afternoon to propriate $10,000 this year towards support of the James Walker Memorial Hospital, this being the same ount set aside for this purpose in budget of the city of Wilmington Council last week. The Commissioners also adopted the budget of the alth Department as passed by the ard of Health at its last meeting. y Council last week included the dget in the city budget for the year. Councilmen Bradshaw, Bunting, Hall, nes, Merritt and McCaig were pres- t at the meeting, an invitation hav- been extended by the Commissioners to Council to attend. Capt. Thos. Meares, city clerk and treasurer, so attended the meeting. Messrs. m Bear, Jr., president of the Board Managers of the James Walker Memorial Hospital, and W. H. Sprunt and o. H. Hutaff, members of the board, re also present.

After stating the object of the meet- g Chairman W. A. McGirt asked Mr. prunt to address the board. Mr. prunt said that he could only request at the Commissioners be as liberal possible with the institution. He id that there is now an indebtedness between $7,000 and $8,000 and the anagers by a strict economy were en- avoring to reduce the debt and hop- to have it paid off within the next ar or so. They could not, however, xpect to do so if the present appro- riation from the city and county of 0,000 annually was reduced.

He said that 63 per cent of the pa- ents of the past year were charity atients, while only 40 per cent of the evenue came from the city and county. e was aware that some criticism had een made because it has not been hought that enough is being charged he pay patients and that this possibly aused the deficit. He felt quite sure hat the larger tax payers of the coun- y, however, would not object to the resent appropriation and did not be- ieve that patrons of moderate means hould be charged more than at pres- nt.

Replying to a question from Commissioner Yopp he said that no charity patients are received at the hospital without a certificate from the county health officer.

Commissioner Willard said that he thought that he could show that charity patients were sent to the hospital without certificates. Mr. Bear explained that in some instances patients were admitted on the recommendation of physicians and certificates obtained later. Of course in emergency cases, he said, patients are admitted without certificates, but these are later given.

Chairman Willard read from the last annual report of the superintendent of the hospital in which it was stated that the hospital, because of the lower rates charged than in northern hospitals, resulted in a saving annually to the people of the city and county of about $30,000. He also called attention to the indebtedness of $7,000 which he thought might have been avoided by charging the pay patients more.

Replying to a question from Commissioner Willard as to the cost of keeping a patient for a day at the hospital Mr. Sprunt said that he could not say definitely, but thought it was about $1.88 a day. He knew that the amount paid by the county per day for its patients was about $1.06 a day. There was considerable discussion on this point, but Commissioner Willard said that the report of the superintendent showed that the cost was about $2.13 a day.

Mr. Sprunt declared that the hospital was established primarily for the benefit of charity patients. The board of managers are using every means, he said, to run it along economical lines. Dr. R. B. Slocum for the ensuing year has kindly offered his services in an executive capacity without remuneration. The auditor for the monthly bills and for the accounts charges nothing for his services and the members of the board of managers give freely of their time and many of them of their means.

"We have several schemes for getting rid of the deficit," Mr. Bear declared, "and I don't believe there is a set of men anywhere that have given their time more religiously and of their means as freely as have the members of the board of managers of this institution."

"I guarantee that there is no county in North Carolina that has given as much to a hospital as has the county of New Hanover," Commissioner Willard replied.

"I don't believe that there is any hospital that is managed better than this one, and I think that it ought to be appreciated," was Mr. Bear's parting word.

Commissioner Willard moved that the appropriation for the institution be made $10,000 and that a committee be appointed to confer with a similar committee from City Council with reference to the management of the affairs of the institution. This was seconded by Commissioner Yopp and adopted unanimously. Investigation of the records of the meeting of the Board of Commissioners several weeks ago showed that a committee composed of Commissioners Willard, Moore and Yopp had been appointed to confer with City Council but nothing had been done. This committee was continued by Chairman McGirt.

Mr. Sprunt asked that the county make its payments $1,000 up to June 1st as the board of managers had based their plans upon the expectation of getting this much. The bill equalizing the amounts paid by city and county to the hospital was passed on February 4th. The county continued its payment of $1,000 a month until April 1st and for the last two months the payments have been $833, leaving $333 to be paid to bring the amount up to $1,000 a month since December 1st. The Commissioners were doubtful if they had the authority to make the payments by the county larger than by the city after the new law went into effect but referred the matter to the County Attorney.

Commissioner Moore said that he approved of the budget of the Health De-

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Just received, a lot of Dimity Bed Spreads, the very thing for the season. J. Weil, 111 Market Street. my30-7t

# SEASHORE TO OPEN TODAY

**Popular Wrightsville Beach Hostelry Will Have Same Staff As Last year —Beach Season Begins.**

The Seashore Hotel, the popular and well known hostelry at Wrightsville Beach, will open its doors for the season this morning under the management of Capt. Edgar L. Hinton. The Oceanic Hotel has been open since May 13th and the Hanover Inn will open in a few days. Practically all of the cottages will be occupied within a few days and several of the boarding houses on the beach have been open for several weeks. The summer season at the beach is on.

In spite of the weather, however, which has for the last several days been anything but encouraging for summer resorts, the hotel men are looking forward to a successful season. It will be hot soon enough, they say, and then people will be glad enough to seek the pleasures of a seaside resort where the gentle breess are always stirring.

Captain Hinton has practically the same staff of assistants this year that he has had for several years past. He says that he already has a large number of reservations for July and August promises to be a good month also, as a number of conventions have already been booked.

The Harmony Concert party, which will furnish the music at the Seashore will arrive next week. They were heard in Wilmington last year at the Chautauqua and created a very favorable impression.

**Mail Service Begins Today.**

The summer mail service to Wrightsville Beach will begin today, the carriers making two trips and deliveries at the beach each day. Postmaster H. McL. Green, however, is now at work endeavoring to get permission from the postoffice department to station a man on the beach in the summer. Capt. Edgar L. Hinton, of the Seashore Hotel, has generously offered a room for this purpose, and if the consent of the department is obtained, arrangements will be made to have the mail sent down in sealed pouches and delivered on the beach by the postman stationed there. This would not only afford an improved service, but would also save the several hours lost by the carriers in making the trip to and from the beach each day.

## SUPPLIES GO TO BREMEN.

**Local Organization Sends Contribution Through American Red Cross.**

Five cases of hospital supplies were recently sent to Bremen, Germany, by the Wilmington branch of the German-American Alliance through the American Red Cross Society. The following letter from the secretary, Mr. W. C. Cronenberg, to Mrs. Cuthbert Martin, president of the Wilmington chapter of the Red Cross Society, is self explanatory:

"Dear Madam—I am respectfully enclosing for your information a copy of the contents of five cases of hospital supplies, forwarded in May through the American Red Cross Society, Bush Terminal, Brooklyn, N. Y., to the German Red Cross Branch at Bremen, Germany, by our organization, and for which we are under many obligations to the special efforts of Mrs. C. P. B. Mahler, Mrs. H. L. Vollers, Mrs. D. H. Lippitt, and others, of this city.

"Very respectfully yours,

"W. C. CRONENBERG."

The contents of the different cases are as follows:

Case No. 1—5 pairs socks, six sets underwear, one nightgown, one bolt homespun, two bolts outing flannel, two bolts cheese cloth, 12 emergency bags, two gross safety pins, two dozen spools cotton, ten yards flannel, 15 yards homespun, one overcoat, nine rolls bandages.

Case No. 2—One hundred pounds absorbent cotton, 24 dozen adhesive plaster.

Case No. 3—1,142 yards percale.

Case No. 4.—One hundred pounds absorbent cotton.

Case No. 5.—One hundred only Howard's gauze.

## FIRM OF WILDER & METTS ANNOUNCE DISSOLUTION.

**Mr. Wilder Will Continue Real Estate End and Mr. Metts the Insurance.**

Elsewhere in today's issue appears the formal notice of the dissolution by mutual consent of the real estate and insurance firm of Wilder & Metts, with the announcement that Mr. Wilder will continue the real estate business and Mr. Metts the insurance business.

The firm has been in existence for several years, having been formed by the consolidation of the real estate agency conducted by Mr. Wilder and the insurance business conducted by Mr. Metts. Both of the partners are rated among the best posted and most successful business men in their respective lines in the city, and the firm has ranked as one of the strongest of the city.

Mr. Wilder, it is announced, will continue the real estate branch of the former partnership in the present location of the business, No. 207 Princess street, and Mr. Metts will also have his insurance business located there for a few days, until he announces the location of his new offices.

The many friends of the two gentlemen involved will be interested to know of the change, and will wish for each a continued success in his individual efforts.

## TO OBSERVE MEMORIAL.

**Odd Fellows of Wilmington to Attend Service at Fifth Street Church.**

The annual memorial exercises of the four Wilmington lodges of Odd Fellows will be held in Fifth Street Methodist church next Sunday night at 8 o'clock when the pastor, Rev. A. J. Parker, will preach a special sermon. All the Odd Fellows of the city are requested to meet at their hall, corner Third and Princess streets, at 7:30 o'clock and march in a body to the church. The service will be in the nature of a memorial to deceased members of the order, particularly those who have died during the past year.

Mr. L. W. Moore is chairman of the joint committee on arrangements and Mr. S. A. Matthews is secretary.

The committee consists of Messrs. L. W. Moore, L. L. Boon and P. Heinsberger, of Cape Fear Lodge; H. Willoughby, H. O. Craig and W. H. Hodges, of Orion Lodge; T. G. Landen, J. F. Litchton and J. S. Cannady, of Wilmington Lodge; H. C. Baird, S. A. Matthews and M. Hewett, of Hanover Lodge.

PROPOSALS FOR COAL.—U. S. Engineer Office, Wilmington, N. C. Sealed proposals will be received here until 12 M., June 28, 1915, and then opened, for furnishing about 13,000 tons of bituminous coal. Further information on application. my3-tf

Opening of season at Lumina Saturday. Music by 10-piece orchestra. (Advertisement.)

# CITY TEACHERS FOR NEXT YEAR ELECTED

## Joint Meeting of Board and Committees Yesterday.

**All of Last Year's Corps Who Were Applicants Were Re-elected—Superintendent Blair Also Was Re-elected.**

Teachers for the city schools for the next scholastic year were elected at a joint meeting of the Board of Education and the school committees, held at the court house yesterday at noon and presided over by Chairman J. O. Carr, of the Board of Education. Mr. John J. Blair, superintendent of city schools, was also re-elected for the coming year.

It is understood that in the process of redistricting the city, so that the attendance can conform to the capacity of the different buildings, some changes or transfers may be deemed necessary, so the elections of yesterday are with this understanding.

Practically all of the entire corps of teachers of last season were re-elected, with the exception of a few who were not applicants for positions for the coming year. The complete list of teachers for the coming year follows:

**High School.**

Mr. H. S. Shaw, principal; Miss Frederika Jenkins, Mrs. R. L. Cobb, Misses Ethel D. Wood, Ethel W. Smith, Isabel Gulley, Mr. T. M. Ramsaur, Misses Lillian M. Allen, Nettie J. Fleming, Emma L. Martin, May A. Grant, Jane D. Wood, Grace Logan, domestic science.

**Hemenway.**

Mr. O. A. Hamilton, principal; Misses Claire Lathrop, Eva Farmer, Sue Boon, Katherine VonGlahn, Lila M. Keith, Mrs. E. P. Brock, Misses Nannie V. Shaw, Elizabeth LeGwin, Jennie Woodruff, Alice Sawyer, Lucille Cavenaugh, Kate Yarborough, Kate Johnson, Augusta Wiggins, Louise Hill.

**Union School.**

Miss M. E. Cook, principal; Mrs. I. T. St. Amand, Misses Margaret Gibson, Reba Myers, Hattie L. Smith, Florrie Grant, Maude Kingsbury, Adelaide Meares, Kate Alderman, Mrs. Mary D. Parsley, Misses Meta LeGrand, Annie McKay, Theodore LeGrand, Aline Heard, Mrs. S. C. Alexander, Mrs. C. G. Winstead.

**William Hooper.**

Miss Elizabeth Meares, principal; Misses Margaret Wood, Almeria Stevenson, Merle McEachern, Mabel McEachern, Maggie Bowden, Katherine Faison, Emily Hammond, Julia Faison, Isabel Williams, Mary E. Cameron, Lucile Riley.

**Cornelius Harnett.**

Mrs. Hettie E. Fennell, principal; Misses Emma Hazel King, Antoinette Black, Nellie Pickard, Carrie King, Anna Cavenaugh, Bessie B. Haynes, Sadie Exum.

**Isaac Bear Memorial.**

Miss Julia Hill, principal; Misses Gertrude Bell, Thelma Smith, Jennie Jackson, Fannie McClees, Elizabeth Symmes.

**Williston Industrial (Colored.)**

T. J. Bullock, principal; Azilpa Chestnut, Lillian Shober, Mary Knight, Mabel Sadgwar, Lillian Green, Carrie Moore, Sarah Sullivan, Leanora Williams, Matilda Story, Blanche W. Whitted (sewing), Carrie Hargrave.

**Peabody School (colored).**

J. A. Bonner, principal; Carrie Taylor, C. Fannie Blount, Jane L. Crawley, Carrie H. Lane, Eliza A. Nixon, Henrietta B. Story, May Belle Jackson, Mary Louise Howe (sewing), Hazel Pearson, Dorothy Hill, Mollie Matthews.

At the meeting yesterday it developed that the prevailing sentiment of the members of the Board and the Joint Committee favors a higher standard for all new teachers who shall be elected in the future, and though no definite action was taken, it appears that in the future either college training or successful experience will be required. This principle was recognized in the election of the three new teachers by the committeemen yesterday.

## MEXICAN NEEDS URGENT.

**Wilmington Red Cross Society Requested to Aid in Giving Supplies.**

As noted in the press dispatches yesterday and Sunday, many people in Mexico are facing starvation and the American Red Cross Society is endeavoring to lend all assistance possible in relieving the situation. The following telegram has been received by the Wilmington Chapter from C. A. DeVol, acting chairman of the American Red Cross Society:

"Great number of unfortunate Mexican people, largely women and children, facing death by starvation. The President and the American Red Cross appeal most urgently to people of United States not to let the sufferers at our own door die for lack of food. Governors of States have been asked to appeal to their own people for gifts of money, corn, beans, rice and flour. Money and supplies should be sent to local Red Cross treasurers; instructions will be sent from Washington as to routing of supplies."

## ADVANCE PARTY TO CAMP.

**Wilmington Boys Will Spend Three Weeks at Lake Waccamaw.**

This morning the advance party of boys under the leadership of Mr. O. B. Hinnant, boys' Y. M. C. A. secretary, will go to Lake Waccamaw to prepare the camp for the arrival of the main force on Thursday afternoon. There will be about 30 Wilmington boys in the camping party that will spend three weeks at Lake Waccamaw. They will live outdoors and enjoy life in the open.

The beautiful lake will afford ideal fishing and bathing and the boys are looking forward to a most enjoyable time. Mr. Hinnant will spend the entire three weeks at the camp and will have supervision of the boys.

**Real Estate Transfers.**

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: L. T. Landen and wife to C. H. Holton, for $100 and other considerations, lot on northeast corner of Fourth and Marsteller streets, 33x75 feet in size; Geo. B. Applewhite to A. T. Blake, for $10 and other considerations, lot No. 35, Manhattan Subdivision; Jasper Thos. Nixon, of Philadelphia, Pa., to H. C. Twining, for $20 and other considerations, tract in Cape Fear township, on Pumpkin Hill branch, containing 142 acres.

Opening of season at Lumina Saturday. Music by 10-piece orchestra. (Advertisement.)

Attend Polvogt's Dollar Day Sale today. (advertisement.)

# TO BUILD GARAGE AT SOUND

**Local Business Men Preparing to Let Contract For Structure With Capacity For 30 Cars.**

Recognizing the need for a garage at Wrightsville Sound, where summer residents of the beach may leave their cars in safety over night, Messrs. J. Irving Bear, Charles B. Parmele and W. C. Denny, three well known young business men of the city, are preparing to let the contract for a structure that will accommodate 30 or more cars, the building to be located on the new hard road within a short distance of the station at the sound.

The contract for the building will be let within the next few days, and it is planned now to have the garage finished not later than June 10th. The building will be a frame structure with cement floor, and will have a capacity for 30 or more automobiles.

While arrangements to that end have not yet been perfected, it is understood that a local automobile man will be in charge of the garage at the sound, and it may be operated as a branch of one of the Wilmington garages. Gasoline and supplies will be carried in stock, it is presumed.

A garage at Wrightsville Sound will prove a great convenience to many residents of the beach, who prefer to make the trips to and from the city in their automobiles, but have been prevented herstofore unless they were willing to leave their cars exposed to the weather overnight.

## DR. BOWDOIN LEAVES HOSPITAL.

**Clever Young Wilmington Physician to Practice Medicine Here.**

Dr. George Edward Bowdoin, for the past year house physician at the James Walker Memorial Hospital, has resigned from the service of that institution, and beginning today, will practice medicine for himself in this, his native city.

Dr. Bowdoin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Bowdoin, of Wilmington. He is a graduate of the University of North Carolina, and also of the Medical College of Virginia, where he finished in the spring of 1914. Immediately following his graduation, he took the examination before the State Board, and on June 15, 1914, entered the hospital here. In addition to his duties as house physician, he was also acting superintendent for one month.

He is well known and popular among a host of friends in the city, all of whom will wish for him every success in the practice of his chosen profession.

Dr. Bowdoin will have his office at 617 Red Cross street.

## AT CONFERENCE IN RALEIGH.

**Wilmington Rectors Are on Programme for Addresses.**

Several of the rectors of Wilmington Episcopal churches are on the programme for important addresses during the annual conference of St. Mary's an Episcopal gathering at St. Mary's College, Raleigh, N. C., which opened last night and will continue through Saturday. Rev. Geo. W. Lay, rector of St. Mary's, originated the conference, which has grown to be an important gathering of the leading members of the Episcopal ministry in this State.

At tomorrow's session Rev. W. E. Cox, rector of St. John's, this city, will deliver an address illustrative of the Diocesan Movement in East Carolina.

Friday Rev. Dr. Wm. H. Milton, rector of St. James', this city, will discuss some apparently fundamental reasons for the failure of the Church to fulfill her mission, and on the same day Rev. Thos. P. Noe, archdeason of East Carolina, will deliver an address on the results and general influence of the East Carolina Diocesan movement.

## RURAL BUILDING AND LOAN.

**Meeting of Stockholders and Directors Held Yesterday.**

The 10th annual meeting of the stockholders and directors of the Rural Building and Loan Association was held yesterday at noon in the office of the secretary and treasurer, Mr. J. O. Reilly. Mr. C. C. Chadbourn was elected as chairman of the meeting, and Mr. Reilly as secretary. Marsden Bellamy, Esq., and Mr. P. F. B. Price canvassed the number of shares represented and found a majority of the stock present either in person or by proxy.

Reports were submitted by the secretary and the auditing committee, composed of Messrs. E. F. O. Banck, D. M. Carroll and J. L. Hazlehurst, and showed that the association is in excellent condition. Its total assets are now $115,954.38. The 29th series of shares will be opened on Saturday, June 5th.

Directors and officers were elected as follows:

President—R. C. DeRosset.
Vice-President—J. Holmes Davis.
Secretary and Treasurer—J. O. Reilly.
Attorney—Marsden Bellamy.
Directors—Messrs. J. Holmes Davis, C. C. Chadbourn, E. M. Beery, Marsden Bellamy, Marshall Shrier, R. C. DeRosset, M. L. Starkey, A. G. Warren, W. A. McGirt, Martin O'Brien, J. O. Reilly, W. D. McCaig, W. S. Register, Dr. C. T. Harper, Dr. T. B. Carroll.

## VISITING IN WILMINGTON.

**Wife of Col. T. Larry Gantt is Guest of Friends in the City.**

Mrs. T. Larry Gantt, now of Ellisville, Miss., has arrived in Wilmington and is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Green at the Hotel Wilmington. Colonel Gantt is now owner and editor of the Jones County News, published at Ellisville, but is now in Spartanburg, S. C., to assist in the candidacy of his son, Robert J. Gantt, of the Spartanburg bar, who is a candidate for nomination to Congress from the Spartanburg district. There are five aspirants for the vacancy caused by the elevation of Representative Johnston to the United States judgeship in South Carolina.

Editor T. Larry Gantt, now a Mississippi editor, formerly was editor of the Whiteville News-Reporter, on which his lamented daughter, Mrs. Helen Gantt Mimms was a staff member until her death, so sadly recalled by her numerous friends in this section of North Carolina.

"Complexion Secrets Of An Actress"

In a recently issued volume bearing the above title, the author says: "Continuous use of grease paints, rouge and the like, had ruined my complexion. My skin was colorless, wrinkled, coarse and punctured with large pores. In England I heard of the virtues of mercolized wax; my first experience with this marvelous substance convinced me it was more valuable than all cosmetics combined. Now, whenever my complexion begins to go wrong I get an ounce of mercolized wax at the nearest drug store, spread on a thin layer of it before retiring, washing it off next morning. The wax, after a few such treatments, seems literally to absorb the worn-out cuticle, when a brighter, healthier, younger-looking skin appears.

"For the wrinkles and enlarged pores I began using a solution of saxolite, one ounce, dissolved in a half pint witch hazel. Bathing the face in this every day for a while soon relieved the condition most wonderfully."

DEPOSITS made with us on or before Wednesday, June 2nd, will Draw Interest From June 1st, and will Receive Credit for Four Month's Interest on October 1st.

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**Several Suits Started.**

Several suits were started in Superior Court yesterday. The Acme Manufacturing Company is the plaintiff in an action brought against the Scotland Supply Company, and in which the summons was issued to Scotland county. The Con-es-tee Chemical Company brought suit against W. R. Keen, summons to Scotland county, and against David W. Hobbs and J. C. Russ, copartners trading and doing business as Hobbs & Russ, the summons in this action issuing to Duplin county. Gilchrist McCormick, Esq., represents the plaintiff in all the above actions. Stephen Nelson started suit against Susan D. Lineker. Jno. D. Bellamy & Son represent the plaintiff.

**"Submarines" Have Celebration.**

The "Submarines", under the leadership of Howard Green, celebrated their victory over the "Zeppelins" of whom Lenox Cooper is captain, at the Y. M. C. A. yesterday morning. The boys had a most enjoyable time. The tub race in the swimming pool was won by Howard Green and Whitehead and Green were the winners in the relay race. The social committee, of which Carl Mahler is chairman, served refreshments.

HOW TO HEAL SKIN-DISEASES

A Baltimore doctor suggests this simple, but reliable and inexpensive, home treatment for people suffering with eczema, ringworm, rashes and similar itching, burning skin troubles.

At any reliable druggist's get a jar of resinol ointment and a cake of resinol soap. These will not cost a bit more than seventy-five cents. With the resinol soap and warm water bathe the affected parts thoroughly, until they are free from crusts and the skin is softened. Dry very gently, spread on a thin layer of the resinol ointment, and cover with a light bandage—if necessary to protect the clothing. This should be done twice a day. Usually the distressing itching and burning stop with the first treatment, and the skin soon becomes clear and healthy again.

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# SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Mrs. E. T. Wade, of Monroe, is spending some time here with her husband, Mr. E. T. Wade, of the Wilmington hotel staff.

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Mrs. C. H. Belvin and children left yesterday for Chillicothe, Ohio, where they will visit Mrs. Belvin's sister, Mrs. L. J. Thornton.

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Mr. and Mrs. John W. Blomme leave this morning for Richmond, Va., where they will attend the reunion of the Confederate veterans.

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Mrs. J. B. Taylor will leave this evening for Rocky Mount, where she will be the guest of her mother, Mrs. A. B. Brower, 525 South Washington street.

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Misses Elizabeth Shell, of Warrenton, and Annie Hardy, of Greenville, N. C., are the attractive guests of Miss Augusta Boykin, No. 514 Princess street.

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On account of the cool weather, the Ladies' Aid Socieyt of the Fifth Street Methodist church have postponed the excursion to Carolina Beach that was scheduled for today and will give it later.

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Mrs. C. M. Baker, of New Orleans, La., is visiting her father, Mr. H. E. Foster, at the Hotel Wilmington. Before returning home via Asheville she will spend a few days at Wrightsville Beach.

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The regular monthly meeting of the W. C. T. U. which was to have been held this afternoon in the lecture room of the First Baptist church, has been postponed until next Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Owen Reilly announce the engagement of their sister, Miss Annie Thomas Reilly, to Mr. Wyand F. Doerner, of Cumberland, Md., the wedding to take place in November.

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The Christian Endeavor Society of the First Christian church will operate a moonlight excursion on the steamer Wilmington tomorrow evening. The boat will leave her wharf at 8 o'clock. Fare will be 25 cents. Everybody is invited.

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Miss Glen B. Lumpkin, of Washington, D. C., arrived yesterday to accept a position in the office of Maj. H. W. Stickle, United States district engineer. Col. E. R. Robinson, her guardian, of Washington, D. C., came with her to Wilmington.

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The Ladies' Aid Society of Immanuel Presbyterian church announce an excursion to Southport, via the steamer Wilmington, Wednesday, June 9th. The steamer will make two trips, and the members of the society will be delighted to have their friends enjoy the day with them.

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The B. Y. P. U. of the First Baptist church will have a moonlight excursion Friday evening, the steamer leaving her wharf at 8 o'clock. The excursion was to have been run last week but was postponed on account of inclement weather and tickets purchased at that time will be good on this trip.

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Friends of Mr. and Mrs. John Mathers, who recently sailed from New York for their old home at Dundee, Scotland, will be glad to learn that they have arrived safely in Liverpool. The information was contained in a cablegram received yesterday to Mrs. Robert Hunt, of this city, sister of Mrs. Mathers.

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The B. Y. P. U. of Calvary Baptist church will give a comedy-farce entitled "The Matrimonial Bureau" at the Boys' Brigade armory Thursday night beginning at 8 o'clock. A playlet, "The Spellin' Skule" will also be given by the children of the Junior Baraca and Philathea classes. There will be a charge of 10 cents for admission and the public is cordially invited to attend.

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Mr. F. F. Pillet, who for four years has been city engineer for the city of Wilmington, and Mrs. Pillet will leave tomorrow for Mobile, Ala., Mr. Pillet's former home, where he will open an engineering office. During their stay in this city Mr. and Mrs. Pillet made many friends who regret that they are to leave. Mr. Pillet has had charge of the building and practically all of Wilmington's new and improved streets and the extension of the sewerage system. He declined re-election.

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Friends and relatives in Wilmington have received cards announcing the engagement of Miss Julia Gore Owen to Mr. Boyd Palmer Chapman, of Boston, Mass. Miss Owen is a daughter of Capt. F. E. Owen, of the Coast Guard Cutter Service, who was formerly stationed in Wilmington, and who Married Miss Victoria Gore, of this city. Miss Owen has visited Wilmington on several occasions and has many friends who will be interested in learning of her engagement. She is now living in Boston, Mass.

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Mr. G. Wallace Smith has returned from Chapel Hill, where he has just completed his junior year at the university and at which institution he has taken a very high stand, especially in scholarship. During the past year, upon the completion of his junior studies, he was awarded the mathematical medal, which is a very high distinction, and in addition to that he has been given an invitation to teach geometry at the University next year. He is spending the summer vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith, of this city.

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### DRESSES OF SENIOR GIRLS ATTRACT WIDE ATTENTION.

The chairman of the educational committee of North Carolina Sorosis has received a letter from Miss Grace Margaret Gould, fashion editor of the Woman's Home Companion, in which she says that she would be very much interested in seeing a description of the dresses worn by the seniors of the Wilmington High School on commencement night, the material for each dress having cost less than $2.50. Photographs and descriptions will be forwarded to Miss Gould within a few days.

In response to the wish expressed by a number of people to obtain a better view of these dresses than was possible on commencement night, the C. W. Polvogt Co. has kindly offered the use of their commodious windows and on Thursday the dresses will be displayed at this store.

See the bargains at Polvogt's today. It is Tuesday Dollar Day Sale. (Advertisement.)

## NURSES GRADUATE TONIGHT

**Public Invited to Attend Exercises at Boys' Brigade Armory—Delightful Entertainment Given.**

Tonight at 8 o'clock the graduating exercises of the James Walker Memorial Hospital Training School for Nurses will be held in the Boys' Brigade armory and the graduating class and the board of managers of the hospital, of which Mr. Sam Bear, Jr., is president, extend a cordial invitation to the public to attend. There are six members of the class that will be given their diplomas tonight.

The exercises will be opened with prayer by Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure following which W. P. Stacy, Esq., will deliver the address to the graduating class. The hospital pins will be given by Mr. W. H. Sprunt and Dr. Codington, superintendent of the hospital, will deliver the diplomas. There will be an enjoyable musical programme.

Last night the members of the class and their friends were delightfully entertained at a reception and dinner, given in their honor by Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Findlay. It was a most enjoyable occasion and the musical programme by Mrs. Longfellow and Misses Foard and Croninsheild added greatly to its pleasure.

An elaborate dinner had been prepared by Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Findlay and needless to say this was a pleasing and delightful feature. Those who had the pleasure of being their guests on this occasion were Mesdames Longfellow and Carl, Misses Foard, Toomer, Mullican, Farley, Isley, Buckner, Perry, George and Croninsheild, Messrs. Arnold Page, Walter Perry and John L. Galloway and Drs. Strosnider, Evans and Folk.

## HOSPITAL GETS SAME AMOUNT FROM COUNTY

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partment and of the improvements that have been inaugurated with the exception of the increase of salary for Chemist Catlett which in the new budget was made $125 a month instead of $100. He did not think that this is a time when salaries should be increased, especially in view of the fact that private corporations have been forced to reduce the salaries of their employees. This was concurred in by Commissioner Yopp.

Dr. Chas. T. Nesbitt, county health officer, spoke in the highest terms of the work that Mr. Catlett is doing and declared that he could not be replaced by a competent man for less than $1,800 a year. He said that all of the employes of the Health Department have taken on extra duties with the idea of improving the service to the public without an additional expense.

With this exception there was no opposition expressed on the different items in the budget and was adopted unanimously, except that Commissioner Moore still objected to an increase in the salary of the chemist.

Commissioner Yopp said that several citizens wanted to know when the work of improving Middle Sound road will begin. He was assured that the road committee would attend to the matter just as soon as possible.

## LOCAL DOTS.

—The winners of the prizes which were offered to the different schools and individuals for county commencement week are asked to call by the office of the Board of Education and get their prizes.

—The barge Tuckahoe, in tow of the tug Virginian, Captain Burriss, arrived yesterday from Chisholm's Island with a cargo of phosphate rock for the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company. The Virginian cleared yesterday afternoon light for Charleston.

—Effective today the freight depot of the Tidewater Power Co., will be open all day for the benefit of those shipping to the beach. There will be no change in the freight schedule, however, until Saturday, when the regular summer schedule of all cars goes into effect.

## PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. G. W. Corbett, of Currie, was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

—Mrs. H. W. Hood, of Southport, was a guest at the Hotel Wilmington last night.

—Mr. F. N. Penner, of Newbern, was a guest at the Hotel Wilmington yesterday.

—Mr. Herbert Lacy, of Morehead City, was registered at the Hotel Wilmington last night.

—Mr. D. N. Chadwick, Jr., returned yesterday from a business trip to Pittsburg and New York.

—Mr. Charles E. Wood, Jr., of Raleigh, was among the guests at the Hotel Wilmington yesterday.

—Mr. H. C. Davidson, of Raleigh, was a business visitor in the city yesterday ,a guest at the Hotel Wilmington.

—Mrs. Harvey Boney, of Rose Hill; Miss Ruth Williams, Wallace, and Miss Martha Faison, of Faison, were among the arrivals at the Hotel Wilmington yesterday.

—Mr. W. A. McGirt, chairman of the Board of County Commissioners, left last night for Richmond, Va., to attend the Confederate Reunion this week, and to visit his brother-in-law, Rev. Dr. T. A. Smoot, pastor of Centenary Methodist church, of that city.

—Friends of Mr. Lee Porter, a member of the Star's composing room force, will be glad to know that he has sufficiently recovered after an operation for appendicitis at the James Walker Memorial Hospital, to be removed from that institution to the home of Mr. Baxter Ozment, whose guest he will be until he is able to return to his work.

### Many Out of Employment.

Conncilman W. J. Bradshaw, in charge of the Department of Streets and Wharves, said yesterday that there are no less than 150 able-bodied men in Wilmington who are out of employment. The condition of many of them is precarious, and while Councilman Bradshaw would like to help them, if that were possible, he says that it is impossible for him to be of any assistance, because he hasn't the work for them to do.

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### CHILDREN HAVE OUTING.

**Baptist Sunday Schools Have Picnic at Wrightsville Beach.**

It was a happy crowd of children that went to Wrightsville Beach yesterday, this being the annual outing of the Sunday Schools of Southside and Calvary Baptist churches. They were accompanied by many of the parents. Messrs. J. M. Batson, superintendent of Southside Sunday school, and Mr. J. A. McDougall, superintendent of Calvary Sunday school, looked after the arrangements and assisted greatly in making the occasion a most pleasant one.

Leaving Front and Princess streets, this morning, at 10 o'clock, in special cars, 600 children of the First Baptist church will have a picnic at the beach, as the guests of the Tidewater Power Company. Mr. D. H. Howes, Jr., is superintendent.

The children of Immanuel and South Wilmington Presbyterian Sunday school will have their annual outing tomorrow. Special cars will leave Front and Princess street at 10 A. M. Mr. S. A. Matthews is superintendent of Immanuel Sunday school, and Mr. G. C. Bordeaux, of South Wilmington.

### MEETING OF CARRIERS.

**Officers Elected at Annual Meeting of Eastern District Yesterday.**

Officers were eelcted for the ensuing year and other business given attention at the annual meeting of the rural letter carriers of the district of Eastern North Carolina yesterday morning at 11 o'clock in the postoffice building. Mr. C. F. Matthews, of Watha, was elected as district organizer, a new office which was created yesterday. Mr. Matthews and Mr. D. J. Ward, of Brunswick, elected as representatives to the State convention.

The old officers were re-elected and are as follows: President, S. L. Bradshaw, Rose Hill; vice-president, D. J. Ward, Brunswick; secretary and treasurer, J. W. Russ, Wilmington.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Mr. R. F. Gore, the chaplain, Mr. J. C. Rome, of Rose Hill, being absent. Mr. Gore made a helpful and suggestive talk. The next meeting will be held on Labor Day, the place to be selected by the district organizer.

### CUNNINGHAM AND HERBERT SIGN FOR RETURN MATCH

**Will Grapple Again in Cunningham's Club Thursday Night.**

George Herbert, of Virginia, and Johnny Cunningham, of this city, have signed for a return wrestling match to be staged at Cunningham's Club here Thursday night of this week. The two men met last week and the match ended a draw, Herbert having injured himself when his head struck one of the corner posts of the ring.

Both men are fast, clean and skilled wrestlers and their match last week was enjoyed by a large gathering of sport fans, who will doubtless turn out to see them again.

In addition to the main bout Thursday night, there will be several feature preliminaries which will also furnish entertainment to the crowd.

Tickets for the match, which begins at 8:30 o'clock, are now on sale at Starkey's Cigar Store, 119 Princess street, and may be reserved by telephone.

### FISHING CLUB'S "SHACK" IS NOW READY FOR USE.

**Building at Masonboro Inlet Completed and Open to Members.**

The members of the New Hanover Fishing Club will be interested to know that the club's "shack," at Masonboro Inlet is now completed, open and ready for the use of the members.

Messrs. John R. Hanby and E. D. Williams, of the building committee, made an inspection of the building yesterday, and formally accepted it from the contractor.

The "shack" is located only a short distance from the inlet, and also near the board walk leading from Lumina, through Seaforth, to the inlet. It is an attractive little structure, snug, weatherproof and convenient to anglers who go down for a few hours' fishing or who may wish to spend the night at the inlet.

### MUST NOT EXPECTORATE.

**Recorder Empie Says That Spitting on Sidewalks Must Stop.**

Recorder Empie yesterday allowed a negro, charged with spitting on the sidewalks, to go without the payment of the costs, but declared that hereafter any offendar brought into his court may expect to pay a fine of $2 and the costs. He declared that he is going to enforce strictly the law prohibiting spitting on the sidewalks and that guilty persons should take notice if they do not want to be out about $7.50 or good money.

There were a few negroes up for violating the hitching ordinance, but the court was merciful and they were allowed to go with a suggestion that they be more careful in the future.

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## PICTURE FOR HOOPER SCHOOL

**President of State Normal Donates Large Photograph of the William Hooper Monument.**

Another beautiful gift has been made to the William Hooper school by President J. I. Foust, of the State Normal College, in Greensboro, who has presented a beautifully framed picture of the William Hooper monument which stands on the Guilford battlebround, near Greensboro. The heroic life-size bronze statue of Wm. Hooper is mounted upon a massive base upon which is a bronze tablet bearing this inscription.

In Memoriam
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Their remains were interred here 1894.
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"Lee, Henry, and Hooper were the Orators of the Congress."
John Adams' diary, volume 2, page 339, 1774.

It is interesting to note the address made at the unveiling of this monument was made by Dr. Edwin A. Alderman, a native of this city, and published in book form.

Back of the Hooper monument may be distinctly seen the granite arch erected as a memorial to Gen. Wm. Lee Davidson.

At a joint meeting yesterday of the Board of Education and the school committees a resolution of thanks was extended to President Foust for this historic gift.

## JUDGE ROAN WOULD HAVE SAVED FRANK FROM THE GALLOWS

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there inheres in the record, without our producing any extraneous matter, such doubt of Frank's guilt that your course would be clear. When Judge Roan's letter came and he wrote that he had moved to ask you to commute the sentence because of his doubt as to Frank's guilt, we felt there had been accomplished all that we had expected to accomplish by argument.

**The Law Cited.**

"Under the law the sentence under the verdict in this case could have been either death or life imprisonment. We merely ask the prison commission and the governor to pass this alternate sentence. We ask it in the name of mercy and this is an appeal for mercy that has reverberated from one end of the country to the other and aroused the instinct of human sympathy as few cases in this country ever have done."

Judge O'Connor declared that the judge who came nearest to passing upon the sufficiency of the evidence in Frank's case was the late Judge Roan and that he was uncertain of the prisoner's guilt. He submitted petitions signed by Chicago citizens, by Illinois legislators, all of Chicago's aldermen, many jurists, lawyers, clergymen and bankers and a petition containing 350,000 names of citizens of 17 States.

**No Prosecution Present.**

Solicitor Hugh M. Dorsey, who prosecuted Frank, did not attend the hearing and was not officially represented and no member of Mary Phagan's family was seen among the spectators.

Judge Roan's letter was dated in December, 1914, and was addressed to Messrs. Luther Z. Rosser, and Reuben R. Arnold, Frank's principal counsel at his trial.

**Judge Roan's Letter.**

Judge Roan died in New York, March 13, 1915. The letter follows:

"After considering your communication asking that I recommend clemency in the punishment of Leo M. Frank, I wish to say that, at the proper time I shall ask the prison commission to recommend and the governor to commute Frank's sentence to life imprisonment. This, however, I will not do until the defendant's application shall have been filed and the governor and the prison commission shall have had opportunity to study the record in the case.

"It is possible that I showed undue deference to the opinion of the jury in this case, when I allowed their verdict to stand. They said by their verdict that they had found the truth. I was still in a state of uncertainty and so expressed myself. My search for the truth, though diligent and earnest, had not been so successful. In the exercise of judicial discretion, restricted and limited, according to my interpretation of the decisions of the reviewing court, I allowed the jury's verdict to remain undisturbed. I had no way of knowing it was erroneous.

"After many months of continued deliberation, I am still uncertain of Frank's guilt. This state of uncertainty is largely due to the character of the negro Coniey, testimony by which the chief magistrate of the State ed.

"Therefore, I consider it a case in which chief magistrate of the State should exert every effort in ascertaining the truth. The execution of any person whose guilt has not been sufficiently proven to the constituted authorities is too horrible to contemplate. I do not believe that a person should meet with the extreme penalty of the law until the court, jury and governor all shall have been satisfied of that person's guilt. Hence, at the proper time, I shall express, and enlarge upon these views directly to the governor and the prison commission.

"However, if for any cause, I am prevented from doing this, you are at liberty to use this letter at the hearing."

Mrs. Frank's statement was the chief

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Leave Southport 11:45 A. M. and 4:45 P. M.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE

Leave Southport 11:30 A. M. and 4:45 P. M.

### EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as executors of the will of Ellen Barry, late of New Hanover County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 25th day of May, 1916, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 24th day of May, 1915.

WILLIAM FLANAGAN,
TIMOTHY DONLAN,
MARTIN O'BRIEN,
Executors.

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## Red Springs Citizens Plunge Into New Movement.

**Every Business House in Town Closes While Enthusiastic Mass Meeting is Held—Resolutions Adopted—Committees.**

(Special Star Telegram.)

Red Springs, N. C., May 31. — "Flora McDonald College and Half a Million Dollars Endowment" was the theme and watchword of a mass meeting of enthusiastic citizens held here today.

Every business house in town closed for one hour, for the meeting. Addresses in behalf of the movement were made by President C. G. Vardell, Mr. J. S. Jones, Rev. H. M. Dixon and others.

The resolutions of the Scottish Society of America, which met in Red Springs May 18th, were read and approved, after which the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

"Be it resolved:

"First—That we both as a town and individuals promise the society and college our hearty co-operation in all efforts that may be made in the prosecution of this great work. To that end, we appoint a committee of four on publicity, and five on finance, to act with the committee appointed by the society and by the college in all plans and efforts that may be necessary for the establishment of this great memorial to Flora McDonald.

"Second, We congratulate the society upon their wisdom in electing the Honorable Locke Craig, Governor of North Carolina, to be their president and leader in this great movement; also upon their choice of that distinguished philanthropist and citizen of North Carolina, Col. Benehan Cameron, to be the chairman of their committee to prosecute the campaign.

"Third, We appreciate and highly commend the work President Vardell has done and is doing in the Flora McDonald movement, and we hereby pledge him and those engaged with him our heartiest co-operation and loyal support.

"Fourth, We would express our profound appreciation of the interest and efforts of that eminent statesman, scholar and Scotsman, Dr. James A. McDonald, editor of the Toronto Globe, who launched this movement, and has given freely of his time and efforts towards its development."

### GOVERNOR CRAIG JOINS.

**Accepts Presidency of Society and Boosts New Movement.**

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 31.—Governor Craig, in formally accepting the presidency of the Scottish Society of America, wrote Miss Eloise McGill, Fayetteville, secretary, this afternoon expressing appreciation for the confidence reposed in him by his election and that he regards as a peculiar responsibility the undertaking to establish the college in honor of Flora MacDonald, at Red Springs.

He says this movement is the manifestation of the very highest type of citizenship through commemoration of the heroic past and provision of untold blessings for future generations. The Governor commends the wisdom, courage and faith of the society in determining upon $500,000 as the sum necessary for a beginning of the great work for the Flora MacDonald College and says "We of North Carolina should raise $200,000 of this amount; we can do it." He concludes: "As Scotchmen and as citizens, we shall enter upon this work with great joy and enthusiasm."

### BIJOU CONTEST AUSPICIOUSLY OPENED YESTERDAY MORNING.

**Ladies Started in Earnest in Competition for Grand Prize.**

Lively is a tame word to use in connection with the first day of the Bijou-Universal California-Canadian tour contest, which opened yesterday morning at 8:30 and closed—well, some of the ladies were out at a pretty late hour for bed-time last night.

The contest bids fair to create quite a bit of excitement not only among the active contestants, but among all their friends as well, who will doubtless all be lined up and working like Trojans before the close comes on July 19th.

Many Wilmington people have been inquiring as to the names of the contestants who have thus far entered, and the manager yesterday announced the ones who have been accepted up to Monday noon and were actively in the field, which is as follows:

Misses Isabel McDougall, Elizabeth Sweeney, Annie Banks, Mary Marshall, Vera M. Furlong, Beulah M. Walker, Anna Fennell, Margaret Creteau and Fannie Riggs, Mrs. L. H. Simmons and Mrs. C. G. Southerland.


### WOMEN HAVE TO SMILE

in a great many cases and try to make those around them happy, while they are racked with the pain of organic trouble. Few men realize how common such heroism is. The remedy for this condition is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—a simple remedy made from roots and herbs, which for forty years has been overcoming the most obstinate ills of women. Every woman suffering from female ills owes it to herself and family to give it a fair trial.


## Italy's "Big Five" in Conduct of War.

The attention of the world is today focused on five men, the "Big Five" of Italy—Premier Antonio Salandra; General Conte Luigi Cadorna, chief of staff of the army; Prince Louis of Savoy, Duke of the Abruzzi, admiral of the battle fleet, Baron Sidney Sonnino, minister of foreign affairs; General Caneva, commander of the army.

It would be hard to find five more interesting personalities than these in whom Italy has placed her fate in the war against Austria.

To the Duke of the Abruzzi, well known to the American public because of his romance with Miss Katherine Elkins, Italy looks to retrieve the naval disaster on the Adriatic coast at Lissa in 1866. Then Austria, with inferior numbers and an ill equipped squadron, struck Italy a crushing blow which has left its mark upon Italian naval prestige up to the present day.

## THEATRICAL

Another Keystone comedy heads the bill at the Grand theatre today. In "Ambrose's Fury," Mack Swain appears at his best in this comedy as Ambrose. He and his neighbor's wife disport themselves on the beach and have a lovely time until the husband and his own wife come along; then things get all tangled up and it's just laughs.

In "Ancestry," from the American studio, a very beautiful story of Italy is told. It is a two-reel production and is well presented with Winifred Greenwood and Ed. Coxen in the leading roles, supported by Charlotte Burton and George Field.

The three-reel Essanay Frauds is a story dealing with the celebrated Mann act, the hero being arrested for taking a girl into another State. He is innocent of any evil intentions but the unfolding of the plot throws a number of exciting scenes on the screen. Edna Mayo, as the girl, is certainly pleasing, while Bryant Washburn, as the manly young chap is as he always is "simply fine."

**"Who Pays?" at Victoria.**

Today is the big day at the Victoria theatre as in fact every Tuesday is, since the management has added the popular "Who Pays?" to the regular Tuesday programme. Today Robert Edeson and W. S. Hart, two of the best known and most popular actors on the screen today are each to be seen in a star part—the one Edeson as the Fighting Parson and the other as the hold-up man. It is a powerful story of a dance hall girl married to a parson, loved by a road agent and saved from the influence of an Arizona bad man. You'll enjoy Edeson's interpretation of the fighting parson of Arizona, the many scenes full of thrilling action and the beautiful Arizona scenery. Added to this is the second episode of the "Who Pays?" series and this episode is one with a strong moral and one that will cause the observer to do some heavy thinking. Condensed, the story is:

A young girl, bubbling over with the effervescence of youth, has her imagination dwarfed, and her impulses blighted by a clergyman father who believes that the business of mortals on earth is to repent. The fact that repentance must follow sin, doesn't in the least affect the benign clarity of his vision. But the Life Force mocks his mummery, and by stealth his daughter marries the man of her choice, a husband rich and devoted. But now her early life of restriction has festered into an insatiable desire for the sweets of life, and she dances with Folly in a mad and ever madder swirl. Her husband wants children; it's the "little things" that count with him. He gets dinner parties—dances—more dances, and all the rest of the flitting phantom of life of society.

And then, through a curious circumstance, she becomes imbued with a desire for motherhood. But here the God of Compensation steps derisively between her and her obsession. A fall necessitating an operation leaves her incapable of becoming a mother, and her spirit is crushed with the realization.

**Great Naval Parade at the Bijou.**

The Bijou offers today as its headliner the only motion picture which was taken of that greatest naval parade, which was held in New York harbor May 17th and 18th, and about which the Morning Star and other newspapers throughout the country carried large front-page stories. The Star said, "The fleet reviewed by President Wilson and Secretary Daniels was the most powerful array of fighting ships ever assembled in an American port, and was the greatest naval spectacle ever seen in the United States, representing the Nation's bulwark in case of war."

The Bijou secured this authentic picture at heavy expense, but it is not their custom to make their patrons pay for it by increased admission charges. In addition to the great Navy parade, it shows 4,000 school children who were massed at 25th street, near Fifth avenue in New York City and sang as the great land parade marched by, which is also shown in detail. It also shows the President's yacht Mayflower as it ran into the storm off the Jersey coast.

The picture shows close views of President Wilson, Secretary Daniels, and other notable, and is the most interesting and instructive picture of the year, especially just now when there is so much talk regarding the strength of our fighting dogs of the sea.

On the regular bill today will be presented "The Jungle Queen," 'that great and thrilling two-reel drama featuring Miss Marie Walcamp, which is absolutely the most thrilling animal picture ever filmed anywhere. Then there will also be two rousing big comedies, a Nestor and a United.


Ladies' Crepe Kimonas, 69c today at Polvogt Co.'s Dollar Day Sale. (Advertisement.)



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# GOVERNOR APPEALS IN BEHALF OF MEXICANS

## Funds Desired to Help Stop Ravages of Starvation.

**Portrait of Famous Editor Presented. Naval Practice Cruise—E. C. Duncan Improving—Other Raleigh News Notes.**

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 31.—Governor Craig, at the urgent request of Chairman C. A. Dewe, issued an urgent appeal to the people of North Carolina to come as liberally as possible to the aid of the American Red Cross in the task of raising funds and food supplies for the relief of starving Mexicans. The terrible conditions that exist in Mexico and the pressing demands on the Red Cross are presented to the Governor in a lengthy letter.

There also came to the Governor today a request on the part of the World Purity Federation for July 18 to be declared, through special proclamation by the Governor, "Purity Sunday," with the special expectation that the churches throughout the State would have some proper observance. The Governor expresses sympathy for the movement, but deems it inexpedient to go to the extent of issuing a proclamation on the subject.

The Down Home Auction House, Burlington, was incorporated today with $25,000 capital authorized and $3,000 subscribed by B. O. Guthrie and others for auction house business.

**Naval Practice Cruise.**

Capt. C. D. Bradham, commander of the Naval Reserves division of the North Carolina National Guard, was here today in conference with Adjutant General Laurence W. Young, of the National Guard, relative to the annual practice cruise that the Naval Brigade will take this summer. They sail from Norfolk July 3 for a 15 days' cruise. The full complement of officers and men are to take this cruise and every possible precaution is being taken to assure a good showing for the men as they come under the direct observation of the regular naval officers who will be in command.

The State Department of Insurance has issued a series of specifications for motor drawn combination chemical and hose wagons to be regarded as standard in this state. It is understood that there are certain North Carolina auto manufacturers who wish to add the manufacture of suitable fire trucks to their lines and it is at their request that the specifications are issued in order that North Carolina towns investing in the North Carolina made vehicles may have the assurance that they are getting standard and approved equipment.

**Funeral of Mrs. Parker.**

The funeral of Mrs. Annie Moore Parker was held this afternoon from Christ Episcopal church and was very largely attended. Mrs. Parker died last night at her home on Edenton street. She had been an invaled for twenty years. She was Miss Annie Marie Parker, daughter of the lamented Bartholomew Moore and widow of Dr. Joseph Parker, to whom she was married in 1876, Dr. Parker having died in 1888. Mrs. Parker is survived by Prof. B. Moore Parker, an only son, who is a member of the faculty of the A. & M. College.

**Portrait Presented.**

There was a unique ceremony in the North Carolina Hall of History this morning when there was presented to the State with due ceremony an oil painting of Major William J. Yates, for many years editor of The Democrat, a weekly newspaper of Charlotte that was a journal of great power and influence in its day. The presentation tion address was by Editor Edward E. Britton, of the Raleigh News and Observer, with supplementary remarks by Mr. William J. Andrews, in which he declared that in so doing he was honoring his grandfather's friend and welding anew the links in the chain of friendship between the families wherein he is the third generation.

In accepting the portrait for the State, Col. Fred A. Olds, director of the Hall of History, stated that the painting will be placed "near that of another of Governor Vance's most confidential and trusted advisers during the war period, Rev. William E. Pell, the founder of the Raleigh Christian Advocate and also of the Raleigh Sentinel. You may be assured, gentlemen," declared Col. Olds, "that his portrait will always be treasured and will occupy a place of honor in the Hall of History."

In his address presenting the portrait Editor Britton said by way of introduction: "The State of North Carolina is rich in history and no small part of that history has been made by the men who have been editors of its papers. In all the years, as a class, they have been noted for their patriotic endeavor and for their never failing efforts to have North Carolina make progress in the larger things which go to make a State great."

Major Yates edited The Democrat at Charlotte for 30 years, was a native of Fayetteville, born in 1827, and died in Charlotte in 1888.

**St. Mary's Conference.**

The St. Mary's conference in which the clergy and laity of North and South Carolina will be largely represented, will open in fifth annual session at St. Mary's School Tuesday morning under the management of Rev. George W. Lay, rector of the school, who established these conferences five years ago with the co-operation of the trustees of the college and the ministers and laity of the church. The program this year is one of unusual attractiveness and the Conferences continue through June 5, with the principal working sessions in the forenoons and with the evenings given over to recreation in order that there may be a blending of the recreative and scholastic endeavor that will be in keeping with something of a vacation spirit that is necessarily a factor. Monday there will be a preliminary devotional service.

One of the especially interesting features of the program will be a series of addresses on various phases of social service by the Rev. Augustine Elmendorf, who will have one and a half hours each forenoon during the conference for this purpose. There will also be addresses each forenoon during the conference by Rev. Lester Bradner, D. D., on phases of the Sunday school work, his series concluding with an address on "Religious Nurture in the Home."

Another especially attractive feature of the conference will be addresses on Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday evenings of the conference period on "The Layman's Missionary Movement," by Rev. R. W. Patton, secretary of the Board of Missions.

Very many visiting clergy and laymen are expected and there is every assurance that the Conference will be one of the most successful yet held.

**Mr. Duncan Improving.**

A telegram received from Post Graduate Hospital, New York, this morning was to the effect that Mr. E. C. Duncan was much better and doing nicely. Mr. Duncan underwent an operation three days ago for a very malignant case of appendicitis with complications and there were several hours during which his life was almost despaired of. Mr. Duncan had gone to New York to attend a meeting of the directors of the Norfolk Southern Railroad Co., of which he is president. Mr. Duncan's friends feel now that his recovery is assured, although he is still a very sick man.

**Status of N. C. National Guard.**

With talk of entanglements with both Mexico and with Germany that have war possibilities, there is much discussion of the status of the North Carolina National Guard and its equipment for service in the event there should be a call. Adjutant General Young says the Guard, land and naval forces combined, numbers 3,560 of whom 227 are officers. There are 3,103 enlisted men in the land forces and 234 in the naval reserves. The units of the organization are especially well equipped now and in far better trim for entering service than ever before. While the military men express the hope that war may be averted with due regard for the honor of the nation, they assert that if called upon there will be a general response on the part of the men of North Carolina military organizations.

## WARSAW NEWS BUDGET.

**Mayor Johnson Goes to the Reunion, Believing It Probably the Last.**

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Warsaw, N. C., May 31.—Mr. A. B. Anderson, who for the last six years has been the popular and efficient host of the Warsaw Inn, has resigned the management of that hotel. He will reside with his family in the house recently occupied by Mrs. Joseph Johnson, who will go to Atlanta to live. Mr. Anderson is well liked by traveling men throughout the State, who will regret his resignation.

Mr. Henry Bowden, owner of the building, will move his family here from Wilmington for the summer, and the management of the hotel will be under his supervision for the present. They have resided here before, and their many friends will give them a hearty welcome and wish for Mr. Bowden the same success in his new undertaking.

In addition to the granting of a 20-year franchise to a Clinton firm for electric light, and the decision to build two new tobacco prize houses by some of the citizens of the town, the recently elected board of town officers will begin to improve the streets of the town at an early date.

Mayor S. A. Johnson left this morning for the Reunion at Richmond. In speaking of his expected trip, Captain Johnson said, "This is probably our last reunion. The number of veterans left grows smaller each year, and the long gray line has dwindled into a very small remnant of those who once marched so proudly. The few who remain have passed the three-score years and ten mark."

## DISCIPLES CLOSE CONVENTION.

**Hookerton and Jones-Onslow Unions Adjourn Joint Meeting.**

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., May 31.—The Disciples of Christ of the Hookerton and Jones-Onslow unions in Greene, Pitt, Onslow, Duplin and Jones counties wound up a three-days joint convention in Gordon Street church here last night. Several hundred of out-of-town delegates and visitors were present at the three sessions Sunday. The delegates were shown the model Sunday school, the largest of the denomination in the State probably, in operation. Dr. Caldwell, president of Atlantic Christian College at Wilson, preached in the morning.

## PEACE MADE BETWEEN WAR DEPARTMENT AND S. C. GUARD

**State Militia to be Recognized and Get the $40,000.**

Columbia, S. C., May 31. — The reorganization of the National Guard of this state and the reduction by survey of the property shortage charged by the War Department against it from $104,000 to $40,000, was satisfactory, said a letter from Secretary of War Garrison, received today by Governor Manning. The state militia can now obtain the Federal appropriation of about $40,000 for supplies for the fiscal year, which has been held up, pending adjustment of the property shortage.

## MR. WILLIAMS MAY RECOVER.

**Young Man Had Back Broken in Motor Car Accident.**

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., May 31. — Mr. C. Williams, the young man who suffered a broken back in the motor car accident on the main line of the Atlantic Coast Line Friday night, when Mr. F. L. Burrows was killed, may recover, according to the announcements of attending physicians today. The young man for whom there was held out little hopes of recovery, has rallied considerably since his entrance at the hospital late Friday night, and on Sunday was reported fully 50 per cent. better, and he welcomed a brother brought here from Jacksonville, Fla., by news of the distressing accident. The accident occurred Friday afternoon at a point near Neuse river, several miles from Smithfield, and was occasioned by the derailment of a push car, which was being sent along the rails at a lively clip before a gasoline motor car; the cars were being used in the construction work of the interlocking signal system being put into position on the new double tracking between Selma and Parkton.

## PRIVATE CAR WAS ON FIRE.

**A. C. L. Train Delayed to Extinguish Blaze in Mr. Brand's Car.**

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Warsaw, N. C., May 31.—On arrival of Atlantic Coast Line train No. 42, en route from Wilmington to Norfolk, Va., here last night, it was discovered that by some derangement of an electric wire, the private car of Vice President Brand was ignited.

The heroic efforts of the train crew under the supervision of Capt. Harvey Twining, conductor in charge, proving insufficient to extinguish the fire by the use of hand grenades, the Warsaw fire engine was brought into service, and succeeded in accomplishing this purpose. It was found that the car was only slightly damaged and only 50 minutes' delay in the run of the train resulted.


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C. W. Hollowbush, director of Academy of Music, E. Market St. Road, Wilmington, says: "I was about to give up, as I was in such a bad fix with my kidneys. My back ached and throbbed so that I could hardly endure it. When I got down to pick up anything, I couldn't straighten without a great deal of pain. My kidneys didn't act regularly. The kidney secretions contained sediment, were painful and highly colored. I felt bad all over. I doctored and tried different medicines, but got no better. Finally, I used Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at L. B. Sasser's Drug Store, and I had only taken part of a box, when I noticed a great change in my condition. I kept on using them and when I had finished two boxes, my back felt as sound as ever, my kidneys acted regularly, and, in every way, I felt like a different man."

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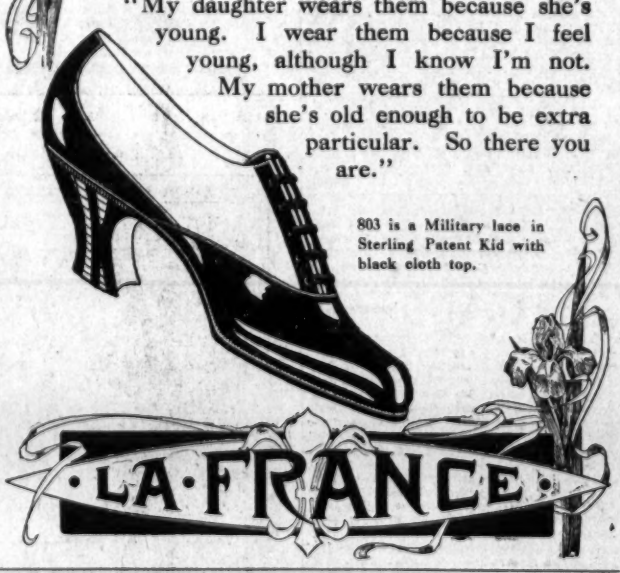


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### THE PORT MOVEMENT.

New Orleans—Receipts, 1,471; exports, 6,534; sales, 1,290; stock, 204,649.

Galveston—Middling, 8.93; receipts, 2,424; stock, 281,201.

Mobile—Middling, 8.95; receipts, 156; sales, 160; stock, 17,967.

Savannah—Middling, 8.69; receipts, 612; exports, 4,875; sales, 9.70; stock, 92,811.

Charleston — Middling, 9.13; receipts, 49; stock, 58,770.

Wilmington—Nominal; receipts, 14; stock, 42,243.

Norfolk — Middling, 9.00; receipts, 268; sales, 124; stock, 60,658.

Reports are incomplete—holiday.

**Interior Movement.**

Houston—Middling, 9.00; receipts, 2,110; shipments, 2,059; sales, 280; stock, 85,020.

Memphis — Middling, 9.12; receipts, 822; shipments, 1,016; sales, 125; stock, 115,433.

Augusta — Middling, 9.00; receipts, 144; shipments, 215; sales, 1,551; stock, 101,713.

St. Louis—Rceipts, 648; shipments, 1,-035; stock, 27,897.

Little Rock—Receipts, 4; shipments, 545; stock, 16,989.

Dallas—Middling, 8.45;.

Total today—Receipts, 3,718; shipments, 4,870; stock, 347,052.

### LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, May 31. — Cotton, spot, in limited demand; prices steady. Good middling, 5.48; middling, 5.14; low middling, 4.66. Sales, 5,000 bales, including 4,100 American and 1,400 for speculation and export.

Receipts, 43,000 bales, including 38,-700 American.

Futures, dull. May-June, 5.00½; June, 4.98½; June-July, 4.98*; July-August, 509; August-September, 518½; October-November, 5.38½; January-February, 5.47½; March-April, 5.54½; May-June (1916), 561½.

### CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Cheago, May 31. — Hogs, irregular. Bulk, 7.60@7.80; light, 7.50@7.85; mixed, 7.50@7.85; heavy, 7.20@7.75; rough, 7.20@7.35; pigs, 6.00@7.40.

Cattle — Strong. Native beef steers, 7.10@9.30; western steers, 6.85@8.20; cows and heifers, 3.30@8.75; calves (lower), 7.00@9.50.

Sheep — Steady. Sheep, 6.50@7.75; lambs, 7.50@10.35; springs, 7.50@11.50.

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Str. Isthmian (Amer.), 2,463 tons, Parse, Heide & Co.

Str. Nicaria (Ger.), 3,289 tons, Hollasch, Heide & Co.

Str. Kiel (Ger.), 2,872 tons, Lemke, Heide & Co

Barge Tuckahoe, Burriss, Virginia-Carolina Chemical Co.

### WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted Daily by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, May 31.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Quiet, at 39½c.

ROSIN—Quiet, $2.50@$2.60 per barrel.

TAR—Quiet, $1.60 per barrel, 7½c. per gallon.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Nominal.

Quotation same day last year—Spirits turpentine, steady, 43¼c. Rosin, firm, $3.45. Tar, firm, $2.25-10c. Crude turpentine, firm, $3.50, $3.50, $2.50.

**RECEIPTS.**

Spirits Turpentine .. .. ..

## SUBMARINES DOING ACTIVE BUSINESS

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Company, a British concern, of which F. D. B. Strachan, of Brunswick Ga., was head. She carried a cargo of cotton and steel billets, the cotton being destined for Havre and the billets for Port Talbot. She was of 4,127 tons. The Dixianna left Brunswick May7 and Savannah, May 11. She was in command of Captain Long.

Cardiff, Wales, May 31.—The crew of the British steamer Dixianna torpedoed off Ushant last Saturday, were landed at Barry Dock today. According to their recitals several shells were fired at the steamer and this was the only warning they had. After the crew got into their boats a torpedo was sent to the engine room. A quantity of wreckage fell into one of the boats from this explosion and two men of the crew were injured. The torpedoing occurred at 11:30 Saturday morning. The following day the crew were picked up by a Greek steamer.

### DANISH STEAMER SUNK.

**The Soborg Destroyed, But No Lives Lost, Says Lloyd's.**

London, May 31.—The Danish steamer Soborg has been sunk in the English Channel by a German submarine, according to an announcemet made by Lloyd's Agency. The crew was saved.

The Soborg was built at Sunderland in 1899 and was of 1,333 tons net register. The vessel was 286 feet long, 43 feet beam and 19 feet deep. She sailed from Baltimore on her last eastern trip acros sthe Atlantic on April 6th when she was bound for Kirkwall and Aarhuus.

## JUDGE ROAN WOULD HAVE SAVED FRANK FROM THE GALLOWS

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new evidence presented. The statement in part follows:

**Mrs. Frank's Statement.**

"When my husband was first arrested on this charge, and was detained at police headquarters on Tuesday, April 29th, 1913, I hurried to the police barracks, accompanied by my father and brother-in-law. I was not allowed to go up to see my husband, and remained in the office of the probation officer, from whence my friends prevailed on me to return home. Being assured that my husband would be released at any moment, I remained at home, but as soon as it became apparent that he would be detained indefinitely I went to him immediately and have been going to him every day since, and spend and spend most of the day with him in jail.

"On the 26th day of April, 1913, my mother and I had tickets for matinee to grand opera and, in order to get there on time, we sat down to table at 1:10, before my husband came home to dinner, and at about 1.15 father came in and sat down at dinner with us. About 1:30 mother and I left the house and my husband and father were left at the table eating. Returning home from the opera at 6:30 I found my husband already there. There was nothing unusual in his manner or appearance to attract my attention.

"That evening after supper a number of friends of my mother and father came over to the house to play cards. My husband and I did not play, but he sat in the hall reading. We retired about half past ten. We were awakened about 6:45 by the telephone ringing. My husband went down to answer the 'phone.

"When he came back again I asked him who it was and he said some detective had telephoned him to come right down to the factory that there had been a tragedy down there and that they were sending an automobile for him. My husband began to dress right away, and while he was dressing the front door bell rang and I slipped on a bath robe and went down stairs to answer the door. When I opened the door Booth Rogers and John Black were there. Of course, at that time I did not know who they were. I asked them what was the matter, and they said some one had been killed in the factory and they then told me what they knew about it.

"After a minute or two my husband came down and joined us at the front door. They asked him if he knew Mary Phagan and he told them he did not. They then asked him if a little girl had not come to the office to get her money the preceding day, and he said he did remember such a girl, but that he did not know her name. They then said they wanted him to come with them right away to the factory. I wanted them to let him have his breakfast first, but they refused. I then asked if they would not let him have at least a cup of coffee, but they refused that also. It was I, and not he, that asked for the coffee.

"As to the affidavit reputed to have been made by Minola McKnight, the statement that I ever told my mother that my husband did not rest good that night, that he was drunk and that he made me sleep on the floor and all the rest of it is absolutely false in every particular."

Washington, May 31.—President Wilson was asked today in a telegram from the Independent Order of Sons of Israel, at Boston, to intercede with Georgia authorities for commutation of Leo M. Frank's death sentence. He took the request under advisement.

## PRESIDENT WILSON AND CABINET MEMBERS PAY TRIBUTE TO OUR DEAD

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because there daily rises in the great body of a democracy the expression of an untrammelled opinion which seems to fill the air with its suggestions of duty; and those who stand at the head of affairs have it as their bounden duty to endeavor to express in their own actions those things that seem to rise out of the conscience and hope and purpose of the great body of the people themselves.

"America, I have said, was re-born by the struggle of the Civil war, but America is re-born every day of her life by the purposes we form, the conceptions we entertain, the hopes that we cherish. We live in our visions. We live in the things that we see. We live, and hope abounds in us, as we live in the things that we purpose. Let us go away from this place renewed in our devotion to daily duty and to those ideals which keep a nation young, keep it noble, keep it rich in enterprise and achievement; make it to lead the nations of the world in those things that make for hope and for the benefit of mankind."

**Secretary Daniels Speaks.**

At the conclusion of the exercises in the amphitheatre of the cemetery, President Wilson witnessed the unveiling of the Maine memorial monument. The monument is the mainmast and fighting top of the Maine, set in a grave and marble base chiseled in the form of a gun turret.

Secretary Daniels, principal speaker at this ceremony, raised a tribute to "sacrifice" saying it was the one attribute to which everybody paid homage.

"The United States teems with stout hearts," said the Secretary. "Courage is the commonest virtue among men. If you once doubted this truth, the abundant display of us on land and sea in the past few months has not left you a skeptic.

"The call of home an dcounty in the day of danger drowns all the baser cries of self, of passion, of avrice. The love of one's own land stirs as no other affection. One hour the free man stands in the assemblies and declaims against what he believes the unjust policies of his government. The next hour another country is in arms against his motherland. In the supreme passion of being true to his own, opposition fades away and the severest critic forgets he had ground for censure."

As part of the ceremony, Frank Bagley Daniels and Jonathan Worth Daniels, sons of the Secretary and nephews of Ensign Worth Bagley, the first American officer killed in the Spanish war, raised an ensign to the top of the mast. Fifty white uniformed marines manned the rigging of the mast.

**Secretary Bryan Is Heard.**

Secretary Bryan was the speaker at exercises held by the Spanish War Veterans at the base of the Spanish war monument. He declared that for the past ten months the people had been surfeited with accounts of the war in Europe.

"We are depressed and distressed by the reports of battles," he said, "of skies reddened by the glare of guns and the soil crimsoned by the blood of men, of homes made desolate and of hospitals filled to overflowing, of babies born fatherless while scores are burne dlike worthless stubble in the fields over which the grim reaper has passed."

## AMERICAN GOVERNMENT NOT ONLY WILL SPEAK BUT WILL ALSO ACT

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fare against enemy ships instead of a suggestion for the modification of submarine activity so that non-combatants and neutrals would not be endangered.

**Another Suggestion.**

Another suggestion made by well-informed diplomats was that the German government had become convinced of a fixed purpose of the United States to remain at peace in any eventuality, and that this impression had followed from the Washington government's passive attitude toward Mexico.

There was a report current in diplomatic circles tonight that the German ambassador wished to elicit from the President a definite idea of what he would like to have the German government do, and that Count Von Bernstorff, moreover, might seek to learn what the position of the United States would be with reference to foodstuffs and shipments of conditional contraband embargoes by the Allies if Germany acquiesced to the views of the United States. It was predicted, too, that he possibly would seek to impress upon the President the opportunity now presented for the United States to secure an adherence to international law by the Allies as well as Germany and thereby by gradual stages point the wa yto general peace.

Count Von Bernstorff is known to have told friends that through an agreement on the "freedom of the seas" one of the foundation stones for the restoration of peace in Europe would be laid.

From all quarters familiar with the German point of view here, the desire of Germany to continue the negotiations was apparent, the hope being that further exchanges would bring the two governments to close understanding.

In the event of another unfavorable answer from Germany, the severance of diplomatic relations by the United States is regarded by many as the natural step. Beyond that, officials and diplomats have indulged in little speculation so far.

## EDITORIAL COMMENT BY LEADING PAPERS ON GERMAN NOTE

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**Tribune (German):** "We believe that the German government, through Mr. Von Jagow, has answered every question in the President's note satisfactorily except one and on that one it desires further information."

**Dallas (Texas) Times Herald:** "Germany has spoken. Its words are not welcome to American ears yet to American people this duty still remains. Keep cool and stand by the President."

**Kansas City (Mo.) Star:** "There is nothing in the German note to alter the position of the United States as set forth in President Wilson's communication of May 13. * * * This government would fail in its duty to its citizens and to the cause of humanity if it did not stand by the terms of its great protest."

**Albuquerque (N. M.) Journal:** "The tone of Germany's reply is as contemptuous as diplomatic phrasing would admit without making war inevitable."

**Cheyenne (Wyo.) Tribune:** "The nation stood firmly behind the President in the earlier stages of the crisis. It will stand as firmly behind him in any further which may be necessary."

**Atlanta Constitution:** "Getting down to the gist of the note, it at least definitely settles one thing, and that is Germany's admission of the inviolability of neutral shipping in the absence of contraband of war. * * * The big problem that remains is that growing out of the Lusitania disaster and the rights of American citizens upon the high seas under whatever flag. On this we are entitled to direct answer to our demands, nor will President Wilson, in the name of the country, be satisfied with anything else."

**Cleveland (Ohio) Plain Dealer:** "Germany's note is not a reply to the United States. It is merely a basis for a further discussion and is so designated by its authors. It is distinctly unsatisfactory."

**New Orleans States:** "Germany's pitiful lack of tactful statesmen, so often remarkable during the war and responsible for her present isolation, again is reflected in the manner in which she has met the American note. She has preferred to meet the righteous American protest against her merciless slaughter * * * by evasions as weak as they are unworthy."

**Louisville Courier-Journal:** "The German answer to the American note is a quibble. The time is at hand when the President must meet the demands of his countryment that nothing must happen to trail our majesty before any other majesty and that the United States shall lay down to belligerents certain rights and laws of neutrality which they shall be required to obey, if need be, by all the force we are able to put in the field."

**Chattanooga (Tenn.) Times**—Germany "regrets" the death of innocent people, but evades the main issue and equivocates, treating with more of less contempt the solemn words of the President.

**Birmingham (Ala.) News**—The answer of the German foreign office is significant, but it is not satisfactory. President Wilson will write a ringing answer to Germany, and that answer will put an end to Germany's quibbling.

**Norfolk (Va.) Ledger-Dispatch**—The German note is not pitched in a key that will be pleasant to the ears of this country. It avoids frank discussion, and seeks refuge in a questioning of facts claimed by President Wilson.

**Charleston (S. C.) News and Courier**—The German note not only leaves us without assurances for the future, but its whole trend and tenor is to defend the indefensible past and to place the responsibility upon ourselves and upon Germany's enemies.

**Columbia (S. C.) State**—The diplomatic situation between Washington and Berlin is strained, rather than relieved, by the German note. The next note that goes from Washington will sweep aside every irrelevant argument.

**Richmond (Va.) News-Leader**—The German note must be answered promptly with a demand for action rather than for argument.

**Richmond (Va.) Times-Dispatch**—The German reply ignores the legitimate and moderate demands for reparation that the President made.

**St. Paul (Minn.) Pioneer Press**—The announcement from Washington that the German reply to the demand of the United States is in reality no answer, and is wholly unacceptable, will meet a responsive echo from end to end of the country.

**Milwaukee (German) Herald:** That the German demand in regard to establishing the facts is not only justified but even necessary to reach a result satisfying to the history of the world seems clear and this demand has been presented in a most quiet and friendly manner there seems to be absolutely no cause for serious difficulties between the two countries.

**Des Moines (Ia.) Capitol:** The German government's reply is long on diplomatic verbiage, but short in specific statement. With memory stirred by the sacrifices which its own sons and daughters have made on the battlefields of the past there will be impetuous demand for immediate action at Washington.

**Sacramento (Cal.) Bee:** The German government sends empty regrets. The people will expect President Wilson, with dignity and honor to stand by the declaration made in the American note to Germany that the American government must hold the imperial government to a strict accountability.

**Denver Times:** Germany's answer to President Wilson's note leaves the way open for further diplomatic exchanges. The answer is not a direct admission of German error, but neither is it an abrupt and discourteous retort to a sternly worded inquiry. It will not please those who would have guided President Wilson into making his note of inquiry virtually a declaration of war, but it will bring relief to those who had feared that Germany, harrassed by active enemies on all sides, might fling all considerations of friendship to the winds and leave no basis for settlement of questions involved.

**Washington Star:** The German reply procrastinates as to reparation both in the Gulflight and the Lusitania cases. * * * The Nation has confidence that President Wilson will press vigorously for the reparation to which we are entitled.

**Chicago Freie Press:** The German government goes farther in its answer than our government in Washington could have expected.

**Portland Oregonian:** It is an evasive plea in extenuation, an apparent play for time while the objectionable course is still pursued.

**Omaha Bee:** The Kaiser's government is not willing to concede all the points raised by Mr. Wilson, as essentially necessary to the maintenance of friendly relations. The diplomats of Wilhelmstrasse must have known the note would not be satisfactory. Further correspondence may serve to relieve a situation that just now seems serious.

### MAJOR GRAHAM GIVES SOME UNWRITTEN HISTORY OF WAR.

**In Decoration Day Address at Federal Cemetery at Raleigh.**

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 31.—The Blue and the Gray mingled in good fellowship this afternoon at the Federal cemetery when there was held the formal celebration of Federal Decoration Day under the auspices of the G. A. R. post here, and with Major W. A. Graham, Commissioner of Agriculture, as the principal speaker. There was stirring music by the Third Regiment Band and also special vocal music by a most capable choir.

The feature of special interest was the address by Major Graham, who has served several terms as president of the Confederate Veteran's Association for this State. This address was one of very great importance and as containing heretofore unwritten history bearing on the events prior to, during and right after the Civil war, in which, as Major Graham expressed it, he "endeavored to neither extenuate nor set down aught in malice, but to delineate what I have seen and speak that which I know." Major Graham declared: "We are justly proud of the record of the Confederate soldier, and we should be equally as proud of the record of the Kuklux Klan. History records no story of where a nation endeavored to degrade the people as the Reconstruction acts were intended to do, nor has it a record of as complete overthrow under the circumstances, of the attempt and triumph of those who were to be humiliated."

Major Graham's address, however, teemed with good will for the G. A. R. and patriotic love for the reunited country which he declared himself ready to make any sacrifice for the good of the whole country.

After the address by Major Graham there was the reading of an appropriate poem by A. B. Forest, member of the local post.

### MARIETTA PROTESTS.

**Citizens of Phagan Home Town Want Frank Executed.**

Marietta, Ga., May 31. — Citizens of this place, which was the home of Mary Phagan, held a mass meeting tonight, and adopted resolutions protesting against executive clemency for Leo M. Frank. A committee was appointed to present the resolutions to Governor Slaton and the State Prison commission tomorrow. Former Governor Joseph M. Brown and two members of the State legislature from Cobb county were among those named on the committee.

Opening of season at Lumina Saturday. Music by 10-piece orchestra. (Advertisement.)

Table Linen, towels and sheets reduced today at Polvogt Co.'s Dollar Day Sale. (advertisement.)

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### GREENSBORO WANTS ELKS.

**Will Send to Charlotte Invitation for Next Year's Meeting.**

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Greensboro, N. C., May 31. — Greensboro will extend an invitation to the Elks of North Carolina when they meet in Charlotte June 24 and 25, to come to Greensboro next year. The invitation will be extended by a delegation of at least 100 people. This number will be sent in order to prove to the Elks that Greensboro wants the convention. Each Greensboro "Bill" will be attired in white from head to foot, except for a purple tie. They will wear no coats. The many advantages of Greensboro as a convention city will be presented.

### SAYS ARMY IS DEFICIENT.

**Assistant Secretary Breckenridge Speaks in New York.**

New York, May 31.—Speaking under the shadow of Grant's tomb here today at Memorial Day exercises, Assistant Secretary Breckinridge, of the War Department, declared the United States army was deficient in personnel and material, neither of which could be improved and made a plea for preparedness, not for war, but to preserve peace.

In view of the international situation, the words of the assistant secretary of war seemed to take on added significance.

### IMPORTANT GROUP OF DECISIONS EXPECTED FROM SUPREME COURT

**Opinions in Notable Cases May be Handed Down Today.**

Washington, May 31.—The most important group of decisions of the year is expected from the Supreme Court tomorrow when it re-convenes after a two-week recess.

Cases under consideration include a series involving the constitutionality of the Grandfather Clause In Southern States, restricting the negro vote, which has been under advisement since April, 1914.

Three far-reaching anti-trust suits are before the court. These are the International Harvester Company dissolution proceedings; the government's anthracite coal suit against the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad Company, and the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Coal Company, and the treble damage suit by New York shippers against South African steamship lines.

Another National question awaiting decision is the constitutionality of the Webb-Kenyon liquor law.

### KEEPS HIS THUMB ON RELIEF SHIPS

**Head of Relief Commission's Marine Department Knows Whereabouts of Each Vessel.**

In a large room on the twentieth floor of the Empire building, at 71 Broadway, a part of the traffic department of The Commission for Relief in Belgium, hangs a huge map of the world, which graphically shows the workings of the marine department of the commission. The map, which shows a flat diagram of the entire world, is an accurate guide of the movements of every ship which flies the commission's flag.

The system employed by this department is a very simple one. Tiny flags, each bearing the name of a ship, are attached to long pins, which are stuck into the ma pand which show the exact location of every ship at any given time. Ships going toward Europe from American ports have their flags flying in the opposite direction, and, of course, are turned the other way to indicate the return voyagge. Ships in American ports are indicated by flags on pins that have blue heads, while ships in port have pins with red heads.

Observation of the map on Tuesday, March 25, showed some interesting statistics: In the port of Rotterdam were shown nine vessels that were either being unloaded or awaiting their turns to be unloaded. Five ships were shown on voyages from American ports to Roterdam and four were making voyages back to Amreican ports. The nine ships on the Rotterdam port carry cargoes aggregating about 60,000 tons of wheat, and the delivery of food cargoes is now made at the rate of about one ship every 48 hours, the value per cargo averaging something like $450,000. The nine cargoes in Rotterdam port have a valuation of about $4,000,000, and the value of the cargoes on the ocean amounts to considerably more than $2,000,000.

The marine department of the commission is fortunate in having for its head a man of wide experience. He is D. de Montemar, who has for the greater part of his life been engaged in maritime work, and his acquaintance with every port in this country, as well as in Europe, has peculiarly fitted him for the direction of operations in the commission's delivery of food cargoes from America.

London, June 1.—The Morning Post's Stockholm correspondent says: Forty passengers have lost their lives in a fire which destroyed the steamer Bore, at Helsingfors. The dispatch apparently refers to a Zeppelin raid on the Finnish capital.

Akron, O., May 31. — Chicago was chosen today as the place for the next biennial convention of the general synod of the Lutheran church.

## HAD PELLAGRA; IS NOW CURED

Hillsboro, Ala.—J. W. Turner, of this place, says: "I ought to have written you two weeks ago, but failed to do so. I got well and then forgot to write you. I can get about like a 10-year-old boy; you ought to see me run around and tend to my farm. I can go all day just like I used to. I am so thankful to know there is such a good remedy to cure people of pellagra."

There is no longer any doubt that pellagra can be cured. Don't delay until it is too late. It is your duty to consult the resourceful Baughn.

The symptoms—hands red like sunburn, skin peeling off, sore mouth, the lips, throat and tongue a flaming red, with much mucus and choking; indigestion and nausea, either diarrhoea or constipation.

There is hope; get Baughn's big Free book on Pellagra and learn about the remedy for Pellagra that has at last been found. Address American Compounding Co., box 2097, Jasper, Ala., remembering money is refunded in any case where the remedy fails to cure.—Adv't.

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